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The Morning Star.

OUTLINES.

English manufacturers of cotton goods are concerned at the possibility of taxation of raw cotton imported into Great Britain. —— A. B. Baxter & Co. have sued for injunction against the Western Union and Gold and Stock Telegraph companies. —— The negro who shot a policeman and started the race riot at Evansville, Ind., died yesterday in prison. —— The secretary of war decides that officers and soldiers of the militia while serving at encampment are entitled to the same pay as those of the regular army. —— Startling disclosures were made before the Federal grand jury investigating postal affairs; indictments were found against prominent officials. —— The cardinals entered upon their conclave last night to elect a successor to Pope Leo. —— Virginia Court of Appeals refused a new trial in case of Alderman King, of Richmond, convicted of bribe taking. —— A negro lynched at Alto, Texas. —— Bridge at Portland, Oregon, collapsed, throwing over a hundred people into the river. —— New York markets: Money on call steady; lowest 1¼ per cent; cotton quiet at 12.75c; flour less active, but firmly held; wheat—spot dull, No. 2 red 83c; corn—spot steady, No. 2 58½c; oats—spot nominal, No. 2 45c; rosin—steady, spirits turpentine quiet at 52½c.

WEATHER REPORT.

U. S. DEP'T OF AGRICULTURE,
WEATHER BUREAU,
WILMINGTON, N. C., July 31.

Meteorological data for the twenty-four hours ending at 8 P. M.:

Temperatures: 8 A. M., 80 degrees; 8 P. M., 76 degrees; maximum, 90 degrees; minimum, 75 degrees; mean, 82 degrees.

Rainfall for the day, .09; rainfall since 1st of the month to date, 2.91 inches.

COTTON REGION BULLETIN.

Temperatures are generally somewhat lower in the northern portions of the belt. Rains are reported in all districts with heavy showers in Texas, Mississippi, Arkansas and Tennessee.

FORECAST FOR TO-DAY.

WASHINGTON, July 31.—For North Carolina: Fair in west, showers in east portion Saturday. Sunday showers; variable winds, becoming east and fresh.

Port Almanac—August 1.

Sun Rises	5.06 A. M.
Sun Sets	7.05 P. M.
Day's Length	13 H. 56 M.
High Water at Southport	2.00 A. M.
High Water Wilmington	4.30 A. M.

Mr. Cleveland to Mr. Bryan: 'Sh! I've got a bite!

So we will have to rely on the Reliance to defend the America's Cup.

The Columbia (S. C.) *State* says "the last 'lamb' sheared in Wall street was a venerable old goat." A Billy goat at that.

The probability is the thirteenth candidate for gubernatorial honors will never materialize. No, North Carolinians are not superstitious!

Negroes are said to be migrating to the South from Indiana and Illinois in large numbers. Probably they have found out by this time who their friends are.

The Charleston *News and Courier* says it wishes Senator Tillman "would stay at home and keep his mouth shut." That is one thing the Senator cannot do. We doubt if he closes it when asleep.

North Carolina should engage in fruit-raising more extensively. Prices have been good this season for fruit of all kinds. It is said that within the last two years about 200,000 peach trees have been planted in the vicinity of Middleton, Ga., and many more will be planted the coming season.

Savannah *News*: There is a Biblical injunction to the effect that gospel "shall be proclaimed from the housetops." Rev. Jacob Kurtz, of York, Pa., holds that in every word the Bible means precisely what it says, nothing more and nothing less; therefore, each Sunday morning Mr. Krutz climbs out on the roof of his two-story cottage and preaches to the people who gather in the street below.

Dowie, the modern "Elijah," says Zion City is so prosperous that he finds himself in urgent need of $2,000,000 to enlarge it. So he is now making a frantic appeal to his followers for the amount. A stroke of financial genius on Dowie's part will avoid, so he explains, the difficulties which beset traders on the stock market. To enlarge Zion City he will issue stock at $100 a share and sell it at par, no more, no less. Dowie himself should "chip" in liberally, as he claims to be worth "several million."

Dancing at Seashore Hotel tonight.

LOCAL DOTS.

— On account of the lack of a quorum no meeting of the Board of Health was held yesterday afternoon as appointed.

— During the past month license was issued by the Register of Deeds for the marriage of 15 white and 12 colored couples.

— The tug "Alexander Jones," towing Standard Oil barge No. 57, to Charleston, passed out at Southport at 7 A. M. yesterday.

— Major Henderson, colored, was found not guilty of the larceny of a gasoline smoothing iron as charged in Justice Bornemann's court yesterday.

— Building permit has been granted to B. R. King for the erection of two one-story frame dwellings on Wooster between Ninth and Tenth streets.

— The Police Committee yesterday afternoon failed to find guilty the two officers charged with dereliction of duty and intoxication. Both will remain on the force.

— There will be service to-morrow at the Second Advent church on Myrtle Grove Sound at 11 A. M. and 8 P. M. Sunday school 4 P. M. Elder G. W. Shepard is pastor of the church.

— The mid-Summer regatta of the Carolina Yacht Club will be sailed Wednesday afternoon August 5th, beginning at 5 o'clock P. M. The race will be sailed over the Banks channel course.

— The police during the month of July made 138 arrests, 73 of the number having been of colored defendants. Twenty-seven of the total number were for non-payment of license tax.

— The Fire Committee met yesterday afternoon and investigated the recent difficulty between the two firemen at Sixth and Castle street engine house. Fireman Mike Bryan was exonerated, but the other one in the disturbance was fined $10.

— The alarm of fire yesterday afternoon was on account of a small blaze at the house of Dennis Perkins, colored, Second between Castle and Queen streets. The damage was about $5. Perkins desires to return thanks to Mr. Geo. Smith and family, who live next door, for timely assistance.

— Charlotte *Observer*: "Misses Cammie Lord and Tallulah DeRosset, of Wilmington, will arrive to-morrow to visit Mrs. Ernest N. Farrior. Monday evening Mr. and Mrs. Farrior will entertain in honor of Misses Lord and DeRosset, and Miss Elizabeth K. Parrot, of Dayton, O., who is now a guest of Mrs. Farrior."

— Percy Lamb, colored, was arrested yesterday and will be given a hearing in Justice Fowler's court today at 9 A. M., upon a charge of larceny by trick. It is alleged that he went to the house of a furniture dealer and secured a gun by false pretence. Lamb says he got the gun and holds it for some dray fees the furniture dealer owes him.

HARBOR MASTER'S MONTHLY REPORT.

Arrival of Vessels at Port of Wilmington During June—Comparison.

The monthly report of Capt. Edgar D. Williams, harbor master, shows arrivals of vessels of 90 tons and over at the port of Wilmington during July as follows:

American — Ten steamers, 12,800 tons; 8 schooners, 3,201 tons; 1 brig, 295 tons, 1 barge, 3,000 tons. Total vessels, 20; total tonnage, 19,296.

Foreign—Four steamers, 6,928 tons; 2 schooners, 500 tons. Total vessels, 6; total tonnage, 7,428.

The grand total of vessels is 26 with a combined tonnage of 26,724, which makes a very favorable comparison with the same month last year.

Boy Severely Hurt.

Master B. F. King, Jr., messenger at the City Hall, ran into an ice wagon as he was rounding the curve at Third and Princess streets on his bicycle late yesterday afternoon and was severely injured. One of his forefingers was severely mashed and he received other bruises about the body. His wheel was almost completely demolished. He was accompanied by Capt. A. L. DeRosset and others to the office of Dr. D. W. Bulluck where his injuries were attended to. He was later sent to his home.

Casino This Afternoon.

The matinee this afternoon at 4 o'clock by the company of vaudeville artists now playing at the Casino, Wrightsville Beach, will afford an excellent opportunity for those who have half holidays to spend the afternoon delightfully. The company is a strong one and merits a much larger patronage than it is receiving. The engagement closes with the performance to-night.

Fort Fisher Rod and Gun Club.

A party of local anglers including Messrs. C. O. Byerly, R. H. Pickett, H. McL. Green and T. W. Wood, will go down to the "Rocks" on the steamer "Wilmington" at 5 o'clock this morning for a day's sport at the Fort Fisher Rod and Gun Club. The regular meeting of the club will be held Monday night at the office of the president on Princess street.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

Worth Co.—Dunlop meal.
Wrightsville Beach—Vaudeville.

BUSINESS LOCALS

Baseball—Series of games.
Dr. Bulluck—Returned to city.

Dancing at Seashore Hotel tonight.

THE ORPHANS COMING

All Arrangements Completed for Annual Visit of Children from Goldsboro.

TUESDAY, AUGUST 18TH.

Trips to Beaches, Southport, Entertainment by Daughters of Rebekah—Sermon by Dr. McClure—Committee Met Yesterday.

All arrangements for the annual visit of the children of the Odd Fellows' Home at Goldsboro to Wilmington and its seaside resorts during the third week in August were completed at a meeting of the joint committee from the four I. O. O. F. lodges of the city in the office of the Jacobi Hardware Co. yesterday morning at 10 o'clock. Those present were Chairman John E. Wood, Secretary B. F. King and Messrs. M. W. Jacobi, W. H. Yopp, William Simpson and H. O. Craig.

The coming of the children was discussed with much enthusiasm. There will be about 60 in the party including Supt. J. F. Brinson and family and the teachers in the institution. The visit will be a little longer this year than usual, inasmuch as the children will not leave for their home until the Monday following their arrival, whereas in previous years they have returned on Saturday. Upon their arrival in this city Tuesday they will be taken in charge by the reception committee and shown to the homes assigned them. Either that afternoon or night they will be entertained by Letitia Lodge No. 3, Daughters of Rebekah, and on Wednesday, upon invitation of Manager Joe Hinton, they will go for their annual dinner and frolic at the Seashore Hotel. During the afternoon the children will give an entertainment in the ball room of the hotel, to which all their friends will be invited. The party will return to the city, leaving the beach at 5 P. M., and that evening will give an entertainment in the Academy of Music, the use of which has been kindly given the children by Messrs. Cowan Bros, the lessees.

Thursday the children will be the guests of Capt. John W. Harper for a delightful trip on the steamer "Wilmington" to Carolina Beach. Dinner will be served by Capt. Harper in the pavilion.

Friday the children will go to Southport and become guests of Atlantic Lodge No. 43, I. O. O. F., of that city. An entertainment will be given at night and the party will return to the city Saturday afternoon.

Sunday at 8 P. M. an annual sermon will be preached to the children by the Rev. Dr. A. D. McClure in St. Andrew's Presbyterian church. The return to Goldsboro will be on Monday morning.

The following sub-committees were announced yesterday to have charge of their respective departments of entertainment:

Badges—W. W. Yopp.

Baggage—Wm. Simpson and J. F. Whitaker.

Transportation—M. W. Jacobi, W. H. Yopp and E. N. Penny.

Entertainment—B. F. King, J. T. King and J. J. Hopkins.

Homes—J. J. Hopkins, H. O. Craig, W. H. Yopp, E. N. Penny.

PROMISING YOUNG MAN DEAD.

George Edward Murphy Entered Into Rest Yesterday After Brief Illness.

The STAR chronicles with regret this morning the peculiarly sad death of Mr. George Edward Murphy, a popular young pharmacist of this city, who entered into rest at his home, No 810 Market street, yesterday evening at 6 o'clock, after an illness of only two weeks with peritonitis. Mr. Murphy had been confined to his room only a week and his death was entirely unexpected. He was a young man of great promise, skilled in his profession, kind and courteous to all, upright in his life and devoted to his family and friends. His rather sudden taking-away is greatly deplored in the community and the bereaved ones have the sincerest sympathy of hundreds of friends.

Young Mr. Murphy came to Wilmington from Clinton, N. C., about ten years ago, and very soon thereafter began to prepare for his profession as a pharmacist. For a number of years he was employed by Messrs. W. C. Munds, J. D. Nutt, and was engaged at the time of his death by Mr. L. B. Sasser, on Market street. He was in the 26th year of his age and in 1899 married Miss Daisy Newbury, of Wilmington. She with one little child survive him. There are also left to mourn their loss his mother, Mrs. Sarah M. Murphy, and the following brothers and sisters, all of Wilmington, viz: Messrs. J. M., P. H., Garland and William Murphy; Mrs. Lottie Hobbs, Misses Eva, Sallie, May Bailey and Kate Murphy.

The funeral will be conducted at 5:30 o'clock this afternoon from the late residence by Rev. Dr. A. D. McClure, assisted by Rev. J. N. Cole. The interment will be in Oakdale cemetery.

— British schooner "Clarence A. Shaffner" cleared yesterday with cargo of lumber and building material, loaded by S. & W. H. Northrop and consigned by master to parties in Puerto Plata, San Domingo.

Dancing at Seashore Hotel tonight.

SUBURBAN CARS COLLIDED.

Head-on Collision at Greenville Siding Last Night—Consequences Were Fortunately Not Serious.

The possession of rare presence of mind by two motormen and a conductor on the suburban line of the C. R., L. & P. Co. averted what might have been a very serious wreck at Greenville siding last night about 10 o'clock. As it was, Passenger Car No. 31 and the freight car on the suburban line were in a head-on collision, but neither was running at a high rate of speed and the consequences were not serious.

Car. 31 was in charge of Motorman J. Riggs and Conductor J. D. Bateman, two of the most careful men in the employ of the company, and was on its way to the beach with about 15 passengers aboard. The car was due at Greenville siding at 9:55 and being west bound, was due to take the siding there. The freight car in charge of Motorman L. Bishop, coming to Wilmington, had already arrived at the siding and was standing on the main line between the ends of the switch. As 31 approached, Conductor Bateman had gone to the front of the car to change the switch and Motorman Riggs had cut off the current preparatory to taking the siding as usual. The velocity of the car was about 10 miles an hour and when the motorman attempted to apply the brakes it was discovered that the chain had either broken or a nut had slipped off a few minutes before, disconnecting the chain from the brake stem. The motorman and conductor seeing the inevitable then reversed the car, however without effects, and beyond control, it dashed into the freight. Motorman Bishop on the latter car had also seen what was coming and had reversed his motor but before the car could get out of the way the passenger car was upon it. The vestibule of the passenger was smashed into smithereens but the freight car, being very much heavier, was injured very little.

In the meantime pandemonium reigned among the passengers but fortunately no one was injured seriously. A lady whose name could not be learned and who was spending the Summer at one of the cottages on the beach, received a severe nervous shock and collapsed. She was attended by Dr. Burbank and returned to the beach on the following car. Frank Simms, a negro fisherman on the sound was on a rear seat, arose to find out what the trouble was, and either jumped or fell partly through one of the rear windows. His hand was slightly cut by the glass.

The accident caused a 20-minute delay on the line. The wrecked cars were brought up to the city and will be repaired in a day or two.

YOUNG MAN MENTALLY UNSOUND.

John Gano Marshall Will be Sent to the Eastern Hospital for the Insane.

Upon affidavit that he was mentally unsound and not responsible for his actions, John Gano Marshall, a young man well known in the city, was yesterday brought by relatives before Col. Jno. D. Taylor, Clerk of the Superior Court, and according to due process of law, was adjudged a fit subject for the State Hospital for the Insane, into which institution those nea resthim are anxious to have him placed for treatment.

Young Marshall, after the investigation, voluntarily went to jail and was made as comfortable as possible pending arrangements for his transfer to the hospital.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS YESTERDAY.

Those Which Appear from Deeds Filed for Record at the Court House.

J. P. N. Fick and wife to J. D. Brown for $1,400, house and lot at southeast corner of Seventh and Queen streets, 84x93 feet in size.

D. F. Deppe and wife, of Newbern, to Mrs. Amanda Ella Bernheim for $750, house and lot on east side of Fifth, between Brunswick and Bladen streets, 66x165 feet in size.

G. D. Bernheim and wife to Annie E. Deppe for $700, house and lot on north side of Swann, between Fourth and Fifth streets, 40x81 feet in size.

Will Have No Colored Elks.

The movement on foot to organize a colored lodge of Elks in the city was stopped in its incipiency yesterday. The methods adopted were much the same as used in Macon, Ga., recently. The leader of the movement was called upon yesterday by a deputation of prominent Elks from the white lodge and he was informed that according to the rules of the order membership is confined exclusively to Anglo-Saxons. The leader was very submissive to the will of the committee and said he would proceed no further with the organization.

Hatch's Big Excursion.

Lookout for the biggest and cheapest excursion ever run over the Seaboard Air Line railroad from Wilmington to Raleigh, Monday, August 10th, returning the same day. I expect to operate ten solid cars, five for colored and five for white people. If necessary, will run two sections. I expect one thousand people. Every car strictly first class. No disorder allowed on this train. Passengers taken on at all stations from Wilmington to Hamlet, inclusive. Fare for the round trip, Wilmington to Allenton, inclusive, only $1.50; Lumberton to Maxton, inclusive, $1.25; Laurinburg to Hamlet, inclusive, $1.00. Don't miss the grand and cheap excursion to the capitol of your State. Train leaves Wilmington at 5:30 A. M., arriving at Raleigh at 11:30 A. M. Returning, leave Raleigh at 11 o'clock P. M., giving almost one whole day in the historical city of Raleigh. Everybody should visit the capitol of their State. I go, rain or shine, on schedule time. Special attention to the ladies and children.

O. B. HATCH, of HATCH BROS.,
Manager.

Dancing at Seashore Hotel tonight.

PAVE MARKET STREET

Two Blocks, Between Second and Fourth, Will Be Improved Very Soon.

ALDERMEN MONDAY NIGHT.

Various Matters Relative to the Permanent Work Will be Considered—The Rock Quarry Litigation and its Probable Result—Notes.

If the property owners in the vicinity manifest sufficient interest and give the necessary encouragement, there appears now no doubt but that Market street, between Second and Fourth, will be paved with vitrified brick or other like material within the next four or six weeks. Readers of this paper will remember that the matter was discussed very favorably by the Board of Audit and Finance and Mayor Springer at their recent conference, in regard to street improvement, and relying upon the concensus of opinion at that time, Mayor Springer has taken time by the forelock and within a short time bids will be called for the necessary material and labor for the work.

As has been the custom for the past several years, the property owners on each side of the street will be asked to bear their pro rata share of the expense and Mayor Springer anticipates no serious objection in that particular, as the pavement is very badly needed and the added value to the property will be correspondingly large. Contracts for the property owners to sign, signifying their willingness to pay their pro rata share of the cost of the improvement were drawn by City Attorney Bellamy for Mayor Springer yesterday and will be circulated among the persons interested before the regular meeting of the Board of Aldermen Monday night. The question of the proper material to use in the improvement is giving the Streets and Wharves Committee no little concern. It is asserted quite positively that owing to the rather steep decline of the street by St. James' church, vitrified brick would be dangerous for horses and that some rough material will have to be used. It has been suggested to the Mayor, as chairman of the Streets and Wharves Committee, that the patent building blocks now being manufactured by the Wilmington Stone & Construction Co., would prove an ideal substitute and bids may be called for that class of material. However, the matter will be very thoroughly discussed at the meeting of the Board of Aldermen on Monday night.

Not the least perplexing problem before the Street and Wharves Committee at present in the way of resuming permanent improvement is the matter of rock supply. The city quarry in East Wilmington, where an almost unlimited amount of material is easily available, is tied up on account of the suit of J. W. Monk vs. City of Wilmington, involving the title to the land upon which the quarry is located. There have been several conferences of attorneys on both sides with a view of adjusting matters so that operation of the quarry may be resumed, but as yet nothing definite has been decided upon. A final conference will be had Monday morning so that a report can be made to the Board of Aldermen Monday night.

PEANUT CROP IS SHORT.

Wet Weather and Scarcity of Labor. The Market at Petersburg.

[*Richmond Times-Dispatch.*]

PETERSBURG, VA., July 30.—Reports from the farmers in the peanut districts seem to indicate that the crop this year will be exceedingly short. The acreage planted was not in excess of that of last year, and the prevailing wet weather in many localities has rendered it impossible for the farmers to keep their crop free from grass with the existing scarcity of labor. Many farmers are compelled to pay a dollar a day and board for labor to weed the crop, and even at this unusually high price it is impossible in some places to get help. Children nine and ten years of age are often paid prices in excess of those paid men two or three years ago.

The stock on hand in Petersburg at present is about 15,000 bags, a smaller amount than has been on hand at this time of the year for many seasons. The prices are firm at 90 cents, with every indication that these prices will be increased before the coming crop is ready for the market.

BROUGHTON'S CHURCH NOT OUSTED.

Baptist Association in Georgia, for Expediency's Sake, Took No Action.

[*Special to Augusta Chronicle.*]

CONYERS, GA., July 30.—Dr. Broughton and the Baptist Tabernacle have won in the fight that was made to oust them from the membership and fellowship of the Stone Mountain Baptist association.

More for the sake of expediency, however, than from the standpoint of law, was the decision reached this morning which will prevent the severance of the relationship between church and association.

After heated argument had been made accompanied by the introduction of numerous resolutions all of which engendered more or less the spirit at times of bitterness and factional strife, the end came this morning in a burst of love feast and brotherly love. After the vote had been taken which practically left the matter as it had been, some one started the familiar hymn: "I Love Thy Kingdom, Lord," in which all joined.

— Dr. Voigt having returned to the city, will conduct services at St. Paul's Lutheran church to-morrow at 11 A. M.

Dancing at Seashore Hotel tonight.

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.

— Miss Eva Polley left yesterday morning for Norfolk on a visit to friends and relatives.

— Wilson *Times*: "Mr. W. M. Cumming, of Wilmington, stopped over here a short time to-day."

— Miss Adeline Fletcher, of Monroe, N. C., is the guest of her friend, Miss Lizette Wade, on Walnut street.

— Miss Mary Bennett, a charming young lady of Clinton, is in the city, visiting Miss Stella Meredith, 307 North Third street.

— Mrs. W. A. Rourk and children are visiting relatives in Bladenboro. Mr. Rourk is spending a while at Shallotte, N. C.

— Mr. S. E. Memory and daughter, Miss Annie, of Whiteville, N. C., have been spending a few days at Wrightsville Beach.

— Mr. J. A. Clark, after a week of pleasure and recreation on Wrightsville Sound, returned to his home in Wilson yesterday.

— Misses Sadie and Zillah Bridger, of Bladenboro, after a visit to relatives in the city, have returned home, accompanied by Miss Thurber Gore.

— Mr. Willard Smith, who has been with the A. C. L. in the Auditor's office here, left last night to accept a position with the A. C. L. at Wilson.

— Dr. Joseph Akerman, the clever surgeon in charge of the James Walker Memorial Hospital, has returned from his vacation, which he spent very pleasantly in the North.

— Elder J. P. King, wife and daughter, Miss Gracie, left yesterday afternoon for Charlotte, N. C. Mr. King goes to the Western part of the State to do some evangelistic work.

— Dr. D. W. Bulluck returned yesterday from a delightful sojourn at Buffalo Lithia Springs, Va. Mrs. Bulluck and daughter, Miss Maude, who accompanied him, returned via Edgecombe county, where they will visit relatives for a few days.

— Mr. and Mrs. J. Carmer Davis accompanied their son, Mr. J. Love Davis, to Fernandina, Fla., last evening and will visit relatives there. As previously noted young Mr. Davis goes to engage in business with his cousin, Mr. Oswood Darling.

Church Notices.

First Presbyterian Church, Rev. John M. Wells, Ph. D., pastor. Divine services at 11 A. M. and 6 P. M., conducted by the pastor. Prayer meeting on Wednesdays at 8:15 P. M. The public cordially invited to all services. Pews free.

St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church, corner Fourth and Campbell streets, Rev. Alex. D. McClure, D. D., pastor. Divine services at 11 A. M. and 8.00 P. M. Sabbath school at 4:30 P. M. Prayer meeting and lecture Wednesday at 8.15 P. M. The public invited. Seats free.

Religious services will be conducted at the Seaman's Bethel to-morrow, (Sabbath) afternoon at 3 o'clock, by Rev. A. D. McClure, D. D. Seamen and rivermen are especially invited. All are welcome.

Brooklyn Baptist Church, corner Fourth and Brunswick Sts. Rev. J. L. Vipperman, pastor. Services to-morrow at 11 A. M. and 8.00 P. M. Sunday School at 3.30 P. M. Weekly prayer and praise meeting Wednesday at 8 P. M. Strangers and visitors are cordially invited to all services.

Chapel of the Good Shepherd, Sixth and Queen streets. Morning prayer and address, 11 A. M. Evening prayer and sermon, 7:45 P. M. Sunday School, 3.30 P. M.

Southside Baptist Church, corner Fifth and Wooster. Services Sunday at 11 A. M. and 7:30 P. M. Sunday school at 3 P. M. Prayer meeting Wednesday night at 8 o'clock. Young Men's meeting Friday night at 8 o'clock.

Bladen Street Methodist Church, corner of Fifth and Bladen streets, Rev. Geo. B. Webster, pastor. Services Sunday 11 A. M. and 7:30 P. M. Sunday school, J. B. Taylor, superintendent, 3:30 P. M; Mid-week praise service Wednesday 7:30 P. M. A cordial welcome to all.

Grace M. E. Church, corner of grace and Fourth streets, Pastor, Rev. J. N. Cole. Services Sunday at 11 o'clock a. m. and 8.00 p. m. Sunday School, W. B. Cooper, supt., 3.30 p. m. Weekly prayer meeting Wednesday at 8.00 p. m A cordial welcome to all. Visitors to the city especially invited. Seats free.

Dancing at Seashore Hotel tonight.

ENTERED INTO REST.

MURPHY—At his home in this city yesterday evening at 6 o'clock, GEORGE EDWARD MURPHY, aged 25 years 9 months and 12 days.

Funeral this (Saturday) afternoon at 5:30 o'clock from late residence, 810 Market street; thence to Oakdale cemetery. Friends and acquaintances invited to attend.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

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RECEIVER'S SALE.

State of North Carolina, County of New Hanover, in the Superior Court.

Charles M. Whitlock, vs. Auburn Lumber Company. } Notice of Sale.

By virtue of an order issued by the Honorable W. R. Allen, Judge Superior Court, appointing the undersigned receiver of the Auburn Lumber Company and directing the said receiver to sell at public auction, to the highest bidder, for cash, the plant of the said Auburn Lumber Company, that is the saw mill, tramway, locomotive, timber, teams, rights of way, franchises and all other property, I will, on Friday, the 21st day of August, 1903, at the saw mill near Turkey, in Sampson County, sell to the highest bidder for cash, the said saw mill, tramway locomotive, timber, teams, rights of way franchise and all other property of the said Auburn Lumber Company.

CAMERON F. MACRAE,
Receiver.
jy 19 1m.

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jy 26 tf

DUNLOP MEAL
IS MADE OF
Best of Corn
IN A
Water Mill
and Every Bushel Weighs 46 Pounds.
As there will be a big crop of Cotton made the demand for bagging and ties will put the price up, so buy NOW and buy of
THE WORTH CO.
jy 10 tf

With the Snappiest
line of Summer Footwear that has been shown this season.
Oxfords, Sandals or High Shoes at almost any price in reason. Comfortable lasts in popular durable leathers.
Don't make a purchase of SHOES for WALKING, SHOPPING or DRESS 'till you have seen our assortment.
Call for Ladies' Fine Lace Shoes with Patent Lace Hooks. Just out.
Sole Agents for Douglas Shoes.
MERCER & EVANS CO.,
jy 19 tf 115 Princess street.

The Unlucky Corner
Calls your attention to the fine line of Holmes & Coutt's
CAKES AND CRACKERS.
Anything you may desire for that Lunch Basket. By the way if you are shy of nice lunch baskets I have a very select line.
Don't fail to try our "Fox River Butter" and "Mystery" Flour. They stand at the head.
S. W. SANDERS.
Both Phones 109. jy 21 tf

Rates for Sewer Service
Water Closets - - 50 cts per quarter, each
Kitchen Sinks - - 50 cts per quarter, each
Bath Tubs - - - - 50 cts per quarter, each
Fixed Wash Basins 25 cts per quarter, each
Fixed Laundry Tubs 50c per quarter, per set
We carry our pipes to your property line without charge, and rates do not go into effect until service is rendered.
The Wilmington Sewerage Co.
jy 19 tf

15 Cents Admission
VAUDEVILLE AT
Wrightsville Beach.
TICKETS 15 CTS.
CASINO
Tickets on sale at Ticket Office, Front and Princess street, from 1.00 to 8.30 P. M.
Round Trip Fare to Beach
---To-night Only---
25 cents on Cars leaving terminals on and after 7.30 P. M.
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Medicines.
25 Cases Copperas.
25 Boxes Pulverized Borax.
50 Dozen Essence Cinnamon.
50 Dozen Essence Lemon.
60 Dozen 1 ounce Laudanum.
55 Dozen 2 ounce Laudinum.
35 Dozen 1 ounce Paragoric.
75 Dozen ¼ ounce Quinine.
40 Dozen 3 ounce Castor Oil.
35 Dozen 4 ounce Castor Oil.
80 Dozen 1 pint Castor Oil.
54 Dozen Spirits Nitre.
500 pounds Salts.
other Drugs, C. C. Pills, Blue Mass, Assafœtida, Sewing Machine Oil, Bateman's Drops, etc., etc.
Virginia Water Ground Meal. We are leaders on these goods, keeping nothing but fresh goods in stock at all times at right prices.
STONE & COMPANY.
jy 24 tf

The Morning Star

WILLIAM H. BERNARD.

WILMINGTON, N. C.

SATURDAY MORNING, AUGUST 1.

THE CANAL TREATY.

Lynchburg *News*: The gratifying report comes from Panama that a reaction is going on in favor of the canal treaty. It is said that prominent men throughout Colombia are urging the Congress to ratify the treaty. It is known that the President is in favor of it, and now that the people are clamoring for it, the Congress may be expected to fall into line, though there are counter influences at work, the full strength of which is not accurately known. A few days ago it was stated, with apparent authority, that the Colombian Congress would hold out for a larger cash payment, demanding $25,000,000, instead of $10,000,000. If so, the members of the Congress must be very deficient in information for they ought to know that the United States government will not submit to such extortion. The amount provided for in the treaty is the utmost limit to which the United States will go in paying for the privilege of making an improvement which will be beneficial to Colombia, to say nothing of the annual rental of $250,000.

Again we are told that the Colombian Congress is purposely delaying action until the concession to the French company shall expire, with the hope of getting the $40,000,000 which our government has agreed to pay that company for its property and concessions. This might be sharp practice, but it would not be honest. The outcome of the whole matter is likely to be the ratification of the pending treaty. The honest and well-informed members of the Colombian Congress, with the aid of the President, may be expected to convince the objectors that no better bargain can be made, and that it would be folly to throw away the chance of getting $10,000,000 of American gold in a lump sum and a quarter of a million per annum in perpetuity. The Colombians have not the whole game in their hands, for it well known that there is an alternative route, which many others besides Senator Morgan consider preferable, which may yet be selected in case the Colombian Congress proves impracticable or unreasonable in its demands. The knowledge of the facts will strengthen the hands of the Colombian President and those members of the Congress who are in favor of accepting the treaty as the best bargain that can be made for their country.

STAMPING OUT YELLOW FEVER.

There is good ground for believing that yellow fever, says the New York *Commercial Advertiser*, which not long ago was the scourge most dreaded in this country, will soon take a place in historical archives along with smallpox, cholera and other epidemic diseases which medical science has stripped of their terrors for mankind. To the work done in Cuba since the evacuation by Spain toward stamping out the plague, thereby relieving us from danger on account of our proximity to that former hotbed of the disease, have now been added the results of experiments in Mexico, which promise to make that other source of infection equally innocuous. The experiments were undertaken under direction of Surgeon General Wyman, whose bulletin communicating what has been done fully warranted sanguine expectations.

Little more was accomplished than to establish the fact, first announced by Italian scientists, that yellow fever is communicated, like malaria, only by a certain form of mosquito, but armed with this knowledge the investigators are confident that the disease can be kept out of the country by excluding the insect carrier. Quarantine disinfection will be directed mainly to destroying the disease-scattering pest which may be brought to our ports in infected ships, and victims of the plague will be sequestered in mosquito-proof chambers so that they may not furnish fresh supplies of the poison to the tormenting inoculators.

At the same time measures will be taken in Mexico to destroy the mosquitoes in their native haunts. President Diaz has undertaken the work with enthusiasm, having cooperated with our government in the investigations and being impressed by the significance of their results. The report should inspire fresh efforts to destroy our own mosquitoes. They may be less dangerous now than some of the Mexican brands, but they have wonderful possibilities.

Puts an End to It All.

A grievous wail oftimes comes as a result of unbearable pain from over taxed organs, Dizziness, Backache, Liver complaint and Constipation. But thanks to Dr. King's New Life Pills, they put an end to it all. They are gentle, but thorough. Only 25c. Guaranteed by R. R. BELLAMY, druggist. †

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Bears the Signature of Chas. H. Fletcher. The Kind You Have Always Bought

EXCESS FARES DECLARED UNLAWFUL.

The Supreme Court of South Carolina has just disposed of a railroad case that has attracted considerable attention. The case was Duncan against the Southern Railway for charging excess fares, tried before Judge Bennett in Barnwell county, in which court the railroad company won, the plaintiff appealing to the higher court.

The decision of the Supreme Court was that railroads have no right to charge excess fares of persons who get on the trains without tickets. Heretofore in that State railroads have been accustomed to charge passengers 25 cents when they failed to procure tickets. It is objectionable to railroads for conductors to receive cash fares, and for that reason the 25 cents excess is charged, but a rebate check is given and the 25 cents refunded to the passenger by the agent of the company upon the arrival of the passenger at the destination. It is claimed that the custom is in violation of the law limiting the rate of fare to 3 cents per mile.

So important was the case considered to be that the Supreme Court called the judges of the Circuit Court to sit upon the case.

CURRENT COMMENT

—— Judge George Gray is probably resigned to this Pennsylvania midsummer talk about his availability for 1904, and not at all interested in it. Being a very intelligent man, he knows how idle it is. The Democratic party is just about as likely to ratify the nomination of Theodore Roosevelt and "make it unanimous" as to nominate Judge Gray. He has accepted important public trusts at the hands of two Republican Presidents; besides, he's an "imperialist."—*Hartford Courant, Rep.*

—— The Louisville *Courier-Journal* (Dem.), discussing immigration, says: "The evils attendant upon the administration of a million souls largely made made up of the offscourings of Europe are passed over in a time of general prosperity, but they will be a burden when hard times come on. Even those who work distinguished themselves by lawlessness in strikes, and a great number will become charges on the public. It is an object to foreign governments to rid themselves of criminals and suspects, and no one can doubt that a great number are able to get into this country, many even becoming naturalized."

—— It is not easy to see why such a hue and cry should be raised in England over the grabbing by the United States of a few islands off the coast of Borneo. As a matter of fact, the news should be heard with far more misgivings than in England. The acquisition of this remote group of island, admittedly worthless except for "strategic" purposes, means only a new source of expense and embarrassment in time of peace and a new point of attack in time of war. They have been on the map a long time, and up to date no power has thought well enough of their "strategic" importance to go to the trouble of occupying them.—*Cleveland Plain Dealer, Dem.*

TWINKLINGS

— "The most that can be said of success," observed the man with a pessimistic tinge, "is that it is not always as disappointing as failure. —*Puck.*

— "Then you don't consider him him an expert fisherman?" "Of course, not. Why, he hasn't any imagination whatever."—*Philadelphia Press.*

— Anxious Mother—That young man who calls on you twice a week stays too late. You will have to sit down on him. Pretty Daughter—Why, I do, mamma.—*Chicago News.*

— Fond Mother: "Are you not somewhat astonished at my daughter's singing?" Professor: "I certainly am. But then she is young yet."—*Chicago News.*

— The Peddler—I want to see the mistress of the house. The Master—Do you? Then step around to the kitchen door and ask for the cook.—*Cleveland Plain Dealer.*

— Ethel—I saw sister sitting on your lap last night, and told mother. "What in the world did you do that for?" She told me to let her know when there was any good news."—*Life.*

— Little Sister—Puttin' us out of the room just—boo hoo!—'cause there's company! Little Brother—But may be they won't eat all the cake. Little Sister—Oh, you can't trust—boo hoo!—company with cake! —*Puck.*

— Tom: "My tailor called with his little bill yesterday." Jack: "I know how that is, old man. You have my sympathy." Tom: "Oh, don't waste your sympathy on me. Sympathize with the tailor."—*Chicago News.*

— "You must at least give that actor credit for originality." "I do," answered Mr. Stormington Barnes. "If you were to let him have his way with a performance of 'Hamlet,' you'd never believe that Shakespeare wrote the play."—*Washington Star.*

Suicide Prevented.

The startling announcement that a preventive of suicide had been discovered will interest many. A run down system or despondency invariably precede suicide, and something has been found that will prevent that condition which makes suicide likely. At the first thought of self destruction take Electric Bitters. It being a great tonic and nervine will strengthen the nerves and build up the system. It is also a great Stomach, Liver and Kidney regulator. Only 50c. Satisfaction guaranteed by R. R. BELLAMY, druggist. †

DR. PIERCE'S GOLDEN MEDICAL DISCOVERY FOR THE BLOOD, LIVER, LUNGS,

SPIRITS TURPENTINE.

— Charlotte is to soon have a large silk mill, to be built by Northern capitalists.

— Mrs. Bettie Giles was seriously, if not fatally, injured in Charlotte Wednesday. A telephone pole, which was being cut down, fell across the sidewalk instead of the street, striking Mrs. Giles on the head. Several teeth were knocked down her throat and her skull was fractured.

— A widow lady at Spring Hope named Mrs. Tant, shot her little son by accident, inflicting what may prove a fatal wound. A drunken man had forced himself into her home, and in the effort to drive him out she seized a pistol. Her little boy, frantic with fear, knocked the pistol aside and it went off, the ball entering his body.

— Selma special to Raleigh *News and Observer*: A man in this county during the war had a mule that was such an expert kicker that it could kick a chew of tobacco out of a man's mouth before he could say "scat." Yesterday a pet Holstein heifer belonging to Theo. W. Young, kicked two of Sam Mitchell's teeth out before he could say "anything," and never touched his lips or face. How's that for a dental operation for a yearling only eight months old.

— Kenansville correspondent Duplin *Journal*: We regret to chronicle the death of Capt. John A. Bryan, one of Duplin's staunchest citizens, which occurred at his home near here, on last Thursday. He was about 80 years of age and had been confined to his bed for many months. He represented Duplin one term in the State Senate, and has always shown himself a model and upright man. He was one of the best farmers in the county, and was one of the best informed men in the State on all agricultural subjects.

— Mr. M. V. Richards, immigration agent of the Southern Railway, in speaking of immigration from the North and West, says there are quite a number of these settlers in Guilford county, N. C. There is a colony of Swedes doing excellent farming near Guilford College, who came here from Minnesota; other families have come from Iowa, Nebraska and Illinois, and there is a delightful family owning a farm three miles from Greensboro who came here in a wagon all the way from Dakota.

— Murphy *Scout*: A sad accidental death occurred on Peachtree last Tuesday. Greely Panther and another man were on top of a load of rye, going down hill, when the mules started to run. It seems they both jumped, the man landing safely, but Panther's feet got tangled in the lines, and he was thrown under the heavily loaded wagon, both wheels passing over and crushing his head into a jelly. When his friend reached his side life was extinct. The deplorable accident cast a pall of gloom over that community.

— Wadesboro *Messenger-Intelligencer*: While recovering the residence of Mrs. Mary Huntley a force of hands made a gruesome discovery. On tearing off the old shingles on the roof of the house the workmen noticed that a hole, two feet square, had at some time been sawed in the sheathing. The sheathing, which had been nailed back to the rafters, was removed and the workmen were greatly surprised to find the remains of a body, which is supposed to be that of a white man. The remains, which were lying immediately under the hole that had been made under the sheathing, consisted of a skull, right arm complete from shoulder blade to end of fingers, and part of bone of left arm. Dried flesh still adheres to the fingers of the right arm. The house is a very old one and no solution of the mystery as to who placed the body in the loft where it was found, or how long it had been there, has yet been offered.

The Cheapest and Best of Excursions

Thos. H. Knight offers the extremely low rate of $2.00 for the round trip to Columbia, S. C., the beautiful capitol city of the old Palmetto State, on Wednesday, August 19th, returning on Thursday night at 7 o'clock. Nothing better has offered itself to the excursion-going public and this cheapest of all cheap rates insures a big crowd. Knight's excursions are universally popular because they deserve to be. Don't miss the best chance ever offered the people of Wilmington. This excursion will go over the fast and elegant Atlantic Coast Line in first class cars. You will not be on the road all day, but will arrive in Columbia at 1:45 P. M. †

Reduced Rates.

Washington, D. C.—Grand Fountain United Order True Reformers. Tickets on sale August 30th, Sept. 1st and 2d; final limit September 10th. Fare for round trip from Wilmington, N. C., $11.55.

Los Angeles and San Francisco, Cal.—National Encampment Grand Army of the Republic. Tickets on sale July 31st to August 13th; final limit October 15th. Fare round trip from Wilmington, N. C., $64.75. Fee of 50 cents will be charged at destination for validating ticket.

† THOS. D. MEARES, G. A.

Rushville, Ind.

Messrs. ELY BROS.—I have been a great sufferer from catarrh and hay fever and tried many things, but found no permanent relief until I found it in Ely's Cream Balm about eight years ago, and we have been fast friends ever since.

(Rev.) R. M. BENTLEY.

Messrs. ELY BROS.—Find enclosed 50 cents, for which please send me your Cream Balm. I find your remedy the quickest and most permanent cure for cold in the head, catarrh, etc. Yours truly, DELL M. POTTER, Gen. Mgr. Arizona Gold Mining Co.

For Over Sixty Years

MRS. WINSLOW'S SOOTHING SYRUP has been used for over sixty years by millions of mothers for their children while teething with perfect success. It soothes the child, softens the gums, and allays all pain; cures wind colic, and is the best remedy for diarrhœa. It will relieve the poor little sufferer immediately. Sold by druggists in every part of the world. Twenty-five cents a bottle. Be sure and ask for Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup and take no other kind. †

SANTAL-MIDY

Arrests discharges from the urinary organs in either sex in 48 hours.

It is superior to Copaiba, Cubeb, or injections, and free from all bad smell or other inconveniences.

SANTAL-MIDY is sold in small Capsules, which bear the name in black letters, without which none are genuine. AIDY

LIKE A CURSE REMOVED

Awful skin disease of this woman cured in a few weeks after fifteen years' terrible affliction.

Note the ghastly despair in the photo taken before treatment.

(Case of Mrs. J. M. Daniels of Winchester, Ky.—completely cured by D. D. D. after 7 weeks' application. She had suffered fifteen years.)

See the same features—but note how different when brightened with hope and happiness, after her freedom from it all.

Reader! This is more than medicine talk. It is humanity to enlighten sufferers about this.

The most virulent skin diseases are conquered—every time—in all cases—without any exception—all cleared away in a few weeks—by the brilliantly clever new skin prescription, "D. D. D." Its work is hardly equaled by any other wonders of modern medical practice.

I guarantee this to be true

Enough has been proven to me—regarding the above case and hundreds of others—to demonstrate beyond all question whatever that any of the known forms of skin disease—any eruption or breaking out—must quickly give way and disappear under the influence of this prescription (known as "D. D. D."). Cases of Eczema, Salt Rheum, Ring Worm, Psoriasis, Barber's Itch, Acne, etc., some of twenty years' standing have been cleared off and permanently cured in a few weeks. In several cases from one to three years have elapsed and there has been no returning sign of the disease. Hundreds of cases cured since the preparation has been placed on sale show no sign at all of the previous affliction and I fully believe they are permanent cures.

Have you been—or do you know anyone who has been—in a living hell of torture with a skin disease? Dispair usually seizes those so afflicted. Many imagine it is in the blood and too subtle to cure. Doctors have stood baffled and helpless against Eczema. Half of them think its worse forms are blood poison. Ninety-nine cases out of a hundred of manifestations on the skin are purely local—*SKIN* disease—not *BLOOD* disease. Healthy blooded people break out as often as any one, the blood has nothing to do with it in most cases. It is a parasite in the skin that spreads. This prescription is today completely clearing away—quickly too—and permanently curing every trace of such parasitic trouble and leaves the skin soft, healthy and perfect. Call on the above druggist and investigate the unquestionable proofs in his possession.

The prescription is sold in above drug store at $1.00 for a liberal bottle, and comes under authentic label of the D. D. D. Company of Chicago, who solely compound the prescription for druggists everywhere.

ROBT. R. BELLAMY, Druggist.

Motion to Adjourn Carried.

"Who made the motion to adjourn this meeting?" asked the inquisitive chap after the free for all battle was over.

"Well, I ain't sure," replied Cactus Jim, "but I reckin it was Hairtrigger Charley. I seen him make one at Three Fingered Ike—with a gun—and after that the rush for open air come."—Cincinnati Commercial Tribune.

Mending Furniture.

When you wish to mend a piece of furniture, melt only as much glue as you think will be needed. Break all the dry glue into the pot, cover with cold water, half fill the water bath around it and add salt to raise the boiling point of the bath. Boil until the glue is clear and ropy. Thin for use with strong vinegar or alcohol.

A Sudden Departure.

Clapham—Didn't your new cook leave you rather suddenly?

Brixton—Yes. She got mixed in her dates. She had a policeman and burglar call on her the same evening.—Pick Me Up.

Experimenting.

Mrs. Dearborn—Which do you think is the luckiest month to be married in?

Mrs. Wabash—I don't know. I've tried April, May, June and July, but I think I'll try some other month next time.

FOREIGN MARKET

By Cable to the Morning Star.

LIVERPOOL, July 31.—Cotton: Spot, moderate business done; prices six points lower; American middling fair 7.06d; good middling 6.84d; middling 6.60d; low middling 6.34d; good ordinary 6.08d; ordinary 5.88d. The sales of the day were 5,000 bales, of which 500 bales were for speculation and export and included 4,700 bales American. Receipts 12,000 bales, including 4,800 bales American.

Futures opened steady and closed quiet; American middling (g o c): August 6.32d; August and September 6.27d; September and October 5.81d; October and November 5.42d; November and December 5.32@5.33d; December and January 5.27@5.28d; January and February 5.26@5.27d; February and March 5.26d; March and April 5.26@5.27d.

MARINE.

ARRIVED.

Clyde steamer Navahoe, Johnson, Georgetown, S C, H G Smallbones.

CLEARED.

British schooner Clarence A Schaffner, Kennedy, Puerto Plata, San Domingo, J T Riley & Co.

EXPORTS.

FOREIGN.

PUERTO PLATA—British schooner Clarence A Schaffner, 199,784 feet lumber, 8 cases blinds, 18 pieces columns, 6 pieces newel and 2 bundles moulding, valued at $2,012.17; cargo by master; vessel by J T Riley & Co.

MARINE DIRECTORY.

List of Vessels in the Port of Wilmington, N. C., August 1.

STEAMERS.

Undaunted, (Br) 2,026 tons, Elliott, Alexander Sprunt & Son.

Tantalton, (Br) 1,934 tons, Berry, Heide & Co.

SCHOONERS.

Emma Knowlton, 309 tons, Hudson, to master.

Lillie, (Br) 311 tons, Davis, to master.

Arthur V S Woodruff, 155 tons, Devereaux, to master.

Nokomis, 245 tons, Sawyer, to master.

Chas H Valentine, 536 tons, Williams, to master.

If Your Physician

prescribes a milk diet, for its easy digestibility it will be well to use Borden's Peerless Brand Evaporated Cream to get a rich, delicioualy flavored milk food, perfectly sterilized, according to latest sanitary methods. For general household uses. Prepared by Borden's Condensed Milk Co. †

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COMMERCIAL.

WILMINGTON MARKET

[Quoted officially at the closing by the Chamber of Commerce.]

STAR OFFICE, July 31.

SPIRITS TURPENTINE—Nothing doing.

ROSIN—Nothing doing.

TAR—Market firm at $1.65 per barrel of 280 lbs.

CRUDE TURPENTINE—Market firm at $1.75 per barrel for hard, $3.25 for dip, $3.25 for virgin.

Quotations same day last year—Spirits turpentine firm at 43c; rosin steady at $1.10@1.15; tar firm at $1.50; crude turpentine firm at $1.40, 2.50@2.60.

RECEIPTS.

Spirits turpentine	113
Rosin	237
Tar	14
Crude turpentine	131

Receipts same day last year—94 casks spirits turpentine, 217 barrels rosin, 83 barrels tar, 103 barrels crude turpentine.

COTTON.

Market nominal.

Same day last year, market firm at 8¼c for middling.

Receipts— — bales; same day last year, —.

Corrected Regularly by Wilmington Produce Commission Merchants, prices representing those paid for produce consigned to Commission Merchants.]

COUNTRY PRODUCE.

PEANUTS—North Carolina, firm. Prime, 65c; extra prime, 70c; fancy, 75c, per bushel of twenty-eight pounds. Virginia—Prime, 60c; extra prime, 65c; fancy, 70c. Spanish 75c.

CORN—Firm, 65@67½c per bushel for white.

N. C. BACON—Steady; hams 14@15c per pound; shoulders, 10@12½c; sides, 12½c.

EGGS—Dull at 14@15c per dozen.

CHICKENS—Firm. Grown, 20@5c; springs, 15@25c.

TURKEYS—Firm at 13@13½c for live.

BEESWAX—Firm at 25c.

TALLOW—Firm at 5½@6½c per pound.

SWEET POTATOES—Firm at 60c per bushel.

BEEF CATTLE—Firm at 2@5c per pound.

FINANCIAL MARKETS

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

NEW YORK, July 31.—Money on call steady; lowest 1¾ per cent., highest 3, ruling rate 3¼, last loan at 2; closing at 1¾@2 per cent.; time money steady; 60 days, 4¾ per cent.; 90 days, 5 per cent.; six months 5@6 per cent. Prime mercantile paper 5¼@6 per cent. Sterling exchange heavy, with actual business in bankers' bills at 485.75@485.90 for demand and 483.40@483.45 for sixty-day bills. Posted rates were 484½@485 and 487@487½. Commercial bills 483¼. Bar silver 54¾. Mexican dollars 42¼. U. S. refunding 2's, registered, 106½; U. S. refunding 2's, coupon, 106¾; U. S. 3's, registered, 106¾; do. coupon, 107¼; U. S. 4's, new registered, 134¼; do. coupon, 135¼; U. S. 4's, old, registered, 109½; U. S. 4's, old coupon, 109½; U. S. 5's, registered, 101¾; do. coupon, 103; Southern Railway, 5's, 112¾. Stocks: Baltimore & Ohio pref'd 85¾; Chesapeake & Ohio 33½; Manhattan L 133¾; New York Central 120; Reading 49; do. 1st preferred 80¾; do. 2nd preferred 67; St. Paul 141½; do. pref'd, 171; Southern Railway 20¾; do. pref'd 84¼; Amalgamated Copper 41¾; People's Gas 94¼; Tennessee Coal and Iron 39; U. S. Leather 7½; U. S. Leather, preferred, 70¾; Western Union 83½; U. S. Steel 28¼; do. pref'd 71¾; Virginia Carolina Chemical Co., 33½; do. preferred 98. Standard Oil 630 bid.

BALTIMORE, MD., July 31.—Seaboard Air Line, common, 19; do. preferred, 34@34½; do. bonds, fours, 77½. Atlantic Coast Line, common, 115; do. preferred, no sales.

NAVAL STORES MARKETS.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

NEW YORK, July 31.—Rosin dull. Strained, common to good, $2 00. Spirits turpentine quiet at 53@53½c.

CHARLESTON, July 31.—Spirits turpentine steady at 48¾c; sales 150 casks. Rosin steady; sales 400 barrels: A, B, C, $1 50; D, $1 50, E $1 55; F, $1 60; G, $1 70; H, $2 10; I, $2 60; K, $2 75; M, $2 85; N, $2 95; W G, $3 10; W W $3 40.

SAVANNAH, July 31.—Spirits turpentine steady at 50c; receipts 78 casks; sales 696 casks; exports 225 casks. Rosin—Market firm; receipts 2,256 barrels; sales 604 barrels; exports 7,694 barrels: A, B, C, $1 55; D, $1 55; E, 1 60; F, $1 65, G, $1 75; H, $2 20; I, $2 70; K $2 85; M, $2 95; N, $3 05; W G, $3 25; W W, $3 45.

COTTON MARKETS.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

NEW YORK, July 31.—The cotton market opened steady at unchanged prices to an advance of five points and ruled irregular during the entire session. At first there was considerable firmness, with August selling up to 12.35 on the call or covering, while the late months were sustained by the continued heavy rains which were reported more or less general over the belt. Shortly after the call, however, the entire list turned weak with August and in sympathy with the outside market. Liverpool, which at the time of the local opening was about in line with expectations, turned easier and New Orleans also showed weakness. This and the apparent lack of support of the near months gave the entire list a declining tendency which carried prices to a level about four to twenty-five points below the final prices of last night, with August selling at 11.95. Being the last day in the month, there was no trading in July after midday and during the morning one sale of that position was reported at 12.40, a decline of one hundred points from the closing figures of the previous night. Just before midday further telegrams were received, telling of more rains and damage in the cotton belt and prices again worked upward with brokers said to be representing the clique bidders for July around 12.00. The recovery carried prices back to nearly the best of the morning on the late positions, but was followed by another break led by August, which declined to 11.85 and during the balance of the session the entire market ruled very irregular. August was two or three times bid up to 12c, closing at 11.97, a net decline of twenty-three points, while the new crop options were at practically the low point of the session and showed a net decline of from one to six points, with the exception of March which was one point higher. It was the first notice day for August and notices were out to the amount of some two or three thousand bales. The notices were issued by various houses and it was reported that some at least were put out by brokers supposed to represent the clique. However this may be, they were not promptly stopped and operated against the price of August in the open market. The price of spot cotton was marked down seventy points to correspond more nearly with the quotation for August which is now the spot month, but this reduction was not considered specially significant for the time being.

NEW YORK, July 31.—Cotton quiet at 12.75c; net receipts — bales; gross receipts 2,570 bales; stock 161,495 bales.

Futures market closed barely steady: August 11.97, September 10.70, October 9.91, November 9.76, December 9.77, January 9 77, February 9.70, March 9.81c.

Spot cotton closed quiet and 70 points lower; middling uplands 12.75; middling gulf 13.00c; sales 10,100 bales.

Total to-day, at all seaports—Net receipts 289 bales; exports to Great Britain — bales; exports to France — bales; exports to the Continent 63 bales; stock 309,780 bales.

Consolidated, at all seaports—Net receipts 1,376 bales; exports to Great Britain 500 bales; exports to France — bales; exports to the Continent 1,560 bales; exports to Japan — bales.

Total since September 1st, at all seaports—Net receipts 7,691,983 bales; exports to Great Britain 2,777,549 bales; exports to France 777,324 bales; exports to the Continent 2,810,608 bales; exports to Japan 135,133 bales.

July 31.—Galveston, steady at 12c, net receipts 15 bales; Norfolk, steady at 12¼c, net receipts — bales; Baltimore, nominal at 13½c, net receipts 154 bales; Boston, nominal at 13.45, net receipts 29 bales; Wilmington, nominal at —c, net receipts — bales; Philadelphia, quiet at 13.00c, net receipts 39 bales; Savannah, firm at 13¾c, net receipts — bales; New Orleans, quiet at 13¼c, net receipts 52 bales; Mobile, nominal at —c, net receipts — bale; Memphis, quiet at 13 15-16c, net receipts 5 bales; Augusta, nominal at 13c, net receipts 1 bale; Charleston, nominal at 12c, net receipts — bales.

PRODUCE MARKETS.

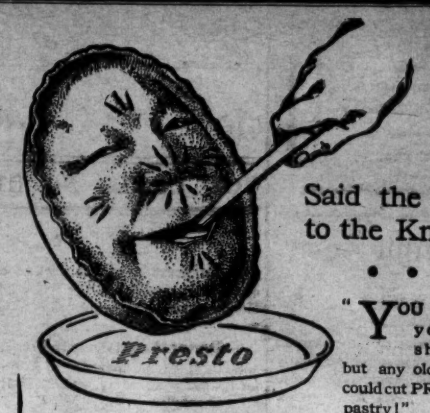
By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

NEW YORK, July 31.—Flour was less active but firmly held. Rye flour steady. Wheat—Spot dull; No. 2 red 83c. Options opened easier on foreign selling and poor cables. Rallying on bull crop news from the Northwest, then became later very irregular on an erratic local trade. At times the Southwest sold large receipts but there seemed to be fair support under 84c for September until the last hour when the heavy selling broke prices severely and the market closed ¼@¾c net lower; May closed 85¼; July closed —; September closed 83½c; December closed 83¾c. Corn—Spot steady; No. 2 58¾c. Options market was generally dull and easy under improving crop news, lower cables and poor speculative support, closing ¼@¾c net lower; September closed 58¼c; December closed 58¾c. Oats—Spot nominal; No. 2, 45c. Pork easy. Butter was firm; extra creamery 19c; do. factory 13@15c; creamery, common to choice 15@18¾c; imitation creamery 15@17; State dairy 14@17½c; renovated 13@17c. Cheese steady to firm; State, full cream fancy, small colored, 10¼c; large colored 10c; small white 10¾c; large white 10c. Potatoes easy; Southern $75@1 00; Virginia sweets $2 25@3 50; Long Island $3 00@3 12. Eggs firm; State and Pennsylvania extras 20c; State and Pennsylvania seconds to firsts 15@19c; western extras 18c; western seconds to firsts 15@18c. Lard was steady. Cabbages steady; Long Island, per 100, $3 00@5 00. Molasses was firm. Peanuts firm; fancy handpicked 4¼@4¾c; other domestic 3@4¼c. Freights to Liverpool easy—Cotton by steam 12c. Coffee—Spot Rio quiet; mild easy. Sugar—Raw strong; centrifugal, 96 test, 3 11-16c; refined strong. Cotton seed oil was dull and barely steady: Prime crude f. o. b. mills 28@29c, new crop; prime summer yellow 43c; off summer yellow 38@38½c; prime white 47@48c; prime winter yellow 47c.

CHICAGO, July 31.—Weakness was manifested in both the grain and provision pits to-day, September wheat closing ¼c lower, September corn and oats each off ¼c, while September provisions were from 15 to 25c lower.

CHICAGO, July 31.—Cash prices: Flour steady. Wheat—No. 2 80@81c; No. 3 spring 78@80c; No. 2 red 77¼@79¾c. Corn—No. 2 51¾@53; No. 2 yellow 52¾c. Oats—No. 2 33¼c; No. 2 white 36@37c; No. 3 white 33@35c. Rye—No. 2 51@51½c. Mess pork, per barrel, $13 37½@13 50. Lard, per 100 lbs, $7 60@7 62½. Short rib sides, loose, $7 50@7 75. Dry salted shoulders, boxed, $7 50@7 62½. Short clear sides, boxed, $8 25@8 37½. Whiskey—Basis of high wines, $1 30.

The leading futures ranged as follows—opening, highest, lowest and closing: Wheat—No. 2 July, old, 79¾@79¾, 79¾, 77¾, 77¾c; July, new, 79¼@79¾, 79¾, 77¾, 77¾c; September, old, 79¾, 79¾, 78¾@79, 79¾c; September, new, 79¾@79¾, 79¾, 78¼, 78¾@78¾c. Corn—No. 2 July 53¾, 53¾, 51¼, 51¼c; September 52¾@52¾, 53¾@53, 52¾, 51¾c; December 52¼, 52¼, 51¾@51¼, 51¾@51¼c. Oats—No. 2 July 43, 43¼, 33¼, 33¼c; September 33¾, 33¾, 33¼, 33¾c; December 34¾@34¾, 34¾, 34¼, 34¼c; May 36¾@36¾, 36¾, 36¼, 36¼c. Mess pork, per bbl—September $13 80, 13 80, 13 60, 13 60. Lard, per 100 lbs—September $7 85, 7 87½, 7 67½, 7 82; October $7 75, 7 75, 7 65, 7 65. Short ribs, per 100 lbs—September $8 02½, 8 05, 7 95; October $7 85, 7 87½, 7 82½, 7 87½.



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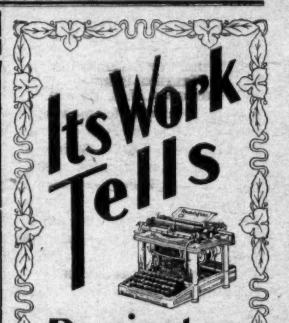

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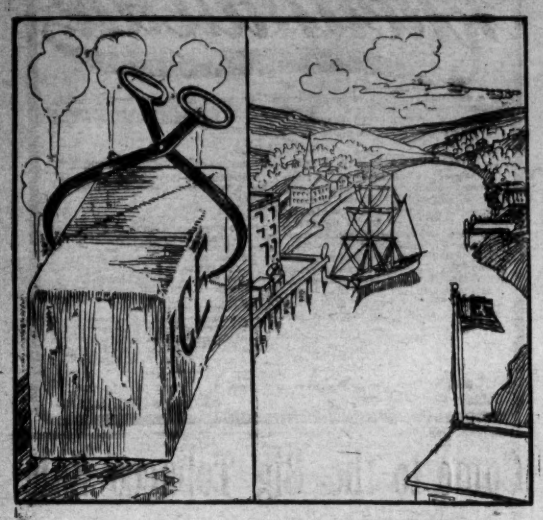

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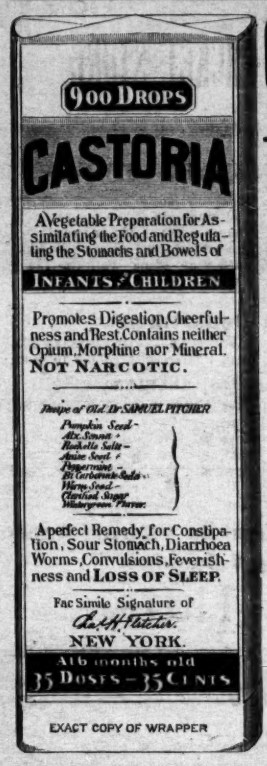
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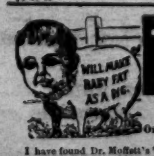

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Fourth.—The chain of volcanoes of the Windward islands, marking the eastern gate of the Caribbean sea, standing in a line directly across the eastern termini of the Caribbean mountains, trending east and west and parallel to the Central American group similarly situated at the western termini.

Fifth.—The volcanoes of Alaska and the Aleutian Islands.—Professor Robert T. Hill in Century.

Circumlocution.

A young Yorkshire collier, anxious to pop the question to a girl whom he honestly admired, but not having the courage to ask her straight out, adopted a method of sounding her which romantic people will be inclined to think rather too practical.

"Jessie, my lass," he said nervously, "Ah've insured my life."

"Has ta, lad?" said the damsel indifferently.

"Aye, an' Ah'm thinkin' Ah'm a fool for doin' it."

"How's ta mak that art?"

"Why, supposin' Ah get killed in t' pit, where does ta think t' money'll go?"

"Why, to thy feyther, for sure."

"True enough, an' it ain't fair. It ought to be paid to my wife."

"To thy wife! Why, tha hasn't got one, Bill."

"That's just it," cried Bill in a burst of confidence. "Tha're a nice lass, Jessie, an' Ah want thee to have that money."

"Why couldn't ta say so at fust?" cried Jessie joyfully.

Then the happy couple embraced and trotted off to break the news to Jessie's mother.—Pearson's.

Went Him One Better.

A well known Glasgow divine related the following anecdote, showing that the ready wit of a countryman was more than a match for him:

He was going to the country for his holidays and was in a railway train when a young man entered. In a short time the two commenced a conversation, in the course of which the clergyman asked the youth what he worked at.

"I am a coupler, sir," was the reply.

"A coupler! So am I," replied the clergyman with a laugh.

The youth looked at him for a minute or so, then burst into a fit of laughter and said: "Oh, I see; ye'r a meenister. Ye marry folks. But I gang farther than ye dae. I baith couple and uncouple."

The clergyman laughed heartily and acknowledged that the youth had the better of the sally.

Stupidity of Men.

A group of women were talking about the stupidity of men at all times and their enormous denseness when their wives were trying to give them a hint.

"You know one day we had company unexpectedly, and we hardly had enough to go around," said one woman. "I tried to catch my husband's eye to convey to him that he was serving the meat too generously. But he would not take the hint. When he had given out the last bit, there were two plates still unfilled. What do you suppose that shameless man did? He simply called all the plates back again and scooped enough off each one to fill the remaining two."

"I shall always take my husband aside beforehand and tell him a few things," said an engaged girl.

"Well, that won't work," said an experienced matron. "I did that one day, and when I asked my husband whether he would have pudding or pie for dessert he blurted out, 'Good gracious, Helen, I've forgotten which you told me to take.'"—Pittsburg Press.

Gloves and Kisses.

The claim of gloves by ladies as a reward when they have stolen a kiss from a sleeping man is alluded to by Gay (1688-1732):

Cicely, brisk maid, steps forth before the rout
And kissed with smacking lips the snoring lout;
For custom says, "Whoe'er this venture proves
For such a kiss demands a pair of gloves."

In chapter 5 of "The Fair Maid of Perth," by Sir Walter Scott, Catherine leaves her chamber on St. Valentine's morning and finding Henry Smith asleep gives him a kiss. The glover says to him:

"Come into the booth with me, my son, and I will furnish thee with a fitting theme. Thou knowest the maiden who ventures to kiss a sleeping man wins of him a pair of gloves."

And in the following chapter she accepts it.—Notes and Queries.

A Lost Necklace.

Quantities of ornaments are lost each year at the drawing rooms or courts at Buckingham palace, and only a very small proportion is recovered.

A very strange story is still told about a diamond necklace which was found at one of the state balls some years ago. It happened that the lord of Queen Victoria's ladies-in-waiting picked up a diamond necklace from the floor. As she stood with it in her hand a lady came quickly forward and claimed it.

The finder was very firm, however, and declared it was her duty to give it in to the lord chamberlain's office, as this was the rule with regard to anything found in the palace. The lady protested in vain, but the oddest thing was that this necklace never was claimed and is probably still at the lord chamberlain's office.

Placing Them.

The Busy Man—Pleasant and Boreson are coming to visit me next week. What shall I do with them? I have so little time.

The Wise Un—Introduce Pleasants at a club and Boreson to a club.—New Orleans Times-Democrat.

Advice to the Widow.

Widow (tearfully)—Yes, my daughters are now my only resources.

Friend—Take my advice and husband your resources well.—Princeton Tiger.

On a Different Footing.

"A man dat's got a fast hoss," said Uncle Eph'm, "don' keer how much he got to git shoes fur 'im. Hit's diff'unt if he's got a boy."—Chicago Tribune.

A man's task is always light if his heart is light.—Wallace.

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Corrected His Error.

With the Germans the absentminded college professor is a stock source of witticisms.

One of these deeply absorbed gentlemen, sitting on a rear seat, thought he knew a person sitting in front and was about to speak to him when, the stranger by chance turning a little, the professor saw that he was mistaken.

Nevertheless, touching him on the shoulder, he remarked politely:

"You will excuse me, but you are not the person I thought you were."—Philadelphia North American.

Spiteful.

"Yes," said the engaged girl, "Dick is very methodical. He gives me one kiss when he comes and two when he goes away."

"That's always been his way," returned her dearest friend. "I've heard lots of girls comment on it."

Thus it happens that they cease to speak to each other.

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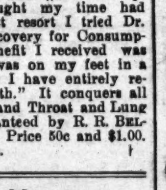

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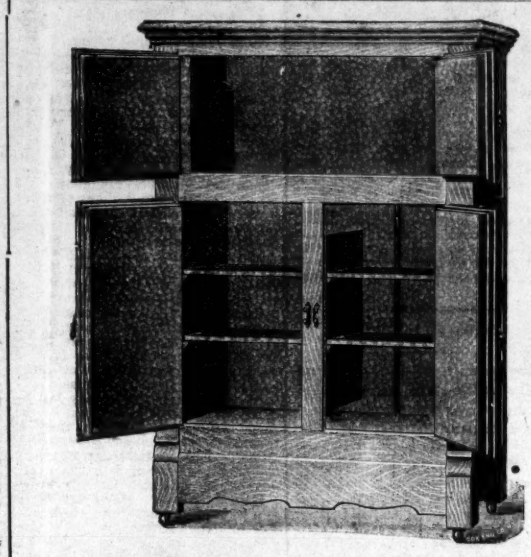

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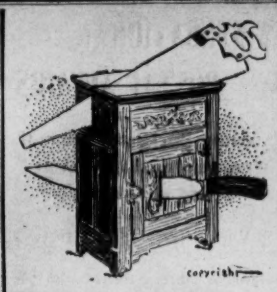

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Schedule in Effect April 12, 1903.

TRAIN 39 Leaves Wilmington 3:30 p m, arrives Lumberton 5:46 p m, Pembroke 6:10 p m, Maxton 6:45 p m, Hamlet 7:35 p m, arrive Charlotte 10:45 p m.

TRAIN 15 Leaves Wilmington 9:00 p m, arrives Lumberton 2:15 a m, Pembroke 2:55 a m, Maxton 4:05 a m, Hamlet 6:00 a m.

TRAIN 40 Leaves Charlotte 5:01 a m, Hamlet 8:40 a m, arrives Maxton 9:52 a m, Pembroke 10:52 a m, Lumberton 10:27 a m, Wilmington 12:45 p m.

TRAIN 14 Leaves Hamlet 10:45 p m, arrives Maxton 12:35 a m, Pembroke 1:30 a m, Lumberton 2:15 a m, Wilmington 7:00 a m.

WESTBOUND FROM HAMLET.

Hamlet	7 30 a m	10 40 p m
Ar Monroe	8 55 a m	12 15 a m
Ar Charlotte	10 05 a m	10 45 p m
Ar Chester	10 35 a m	1 35 a m
Ar Greenwood	12 23 p m	3 43 a m
Ar Athens	2 50 p m	5 05 a m
Ar Atlanta	3 50 p m	7 50 a m

SOUTHBOUND FROM HAMLET.

Lv Hamlet	7 30 a m	10 40 p m
Ar Columbia	10 55 a m	1 50 a m
Ar Savannah	2 20 p m	5 05 a m
Ar Jacksonville	6 50 p m	9 15 a m
Ar Tampa	6 45 a m	6 00 p m

NORTHBOUND FROM HAMLET.

Lv Hamlet	10 30 p m	8 35 a m
Ar Raleigh	1 25 a m	11 50 a m
Ar Norlina	3 50 a m	1 45 p m
Ar Portsmouth	8 00 a m	5 35 p m
Ar Norfolk		
Lv Hamlet	10 30 a m	7 50 a m
Ar Raleigh	1 25 a m	11 15 a m
Ar Norlina	3 50 a m	1 45 p m
Ar Richmond	6 35 a m	4 55 p m
Ar Washington	10 10 a m	8 30 p m
Ar Baltimore	11 25 p m	11 25 p m
Ar New York	4 15 p m	6 13 p m

Through Pullman sleepers from Hamlet to all points North, South and Southwest.

For tickets, Pullman reservations, etc., apply to Thomas D. Meares, General Agent, Wilmington, N. C. ap 15 tf

SUMMER SCHEDULE

CONSOLIDATED RAILWAYS,

LIGHT & POWER COMPANY.

Effective Tuesday, June 9, 1903.

FRONT AND PRINCESS ST., WILMINGTON

Leave every half hour from 6:00 A. M. to 11:30 P. M., daily except Sunday. SUNDAY—Every half hour from 8:00 A. M. to 11:30 P. M.

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Leave every half hour from 6:30 A. M. to 12:00 P. M., daily except Sunday. SUNDAYS—Every half hour from 8:30 A. M. to 12:00 P. M.

SPECIAL CAR FOR WRIGHTSVILLE BEACH will connect daily with A. C. L. train No. 50 due Wilmington at 11:20 P. M. Mondays this car will leave the Casino, Wrightsville Beach, at 5:00 A. M., to connect with A. C. L. train No. 51 leaving Wilmington 6:00 A. M.

BEACH CAR: For the accommodation of those who may desire to leave the Beach after regular cars have ceased running, an extra will be left on the Seashore Hotel siding every night which can be chartered for the trip to Wilmington and return for $10.00. The Motorman in charge can be reached at the Company's Baggage room, near that point. Bell 'Phone No. 1302.

Freight Service.

Leave Front and Princess streets 6:00 A. M., daily except Sunday.

Leave Ninth street Depot 9:30 A. M., daily (including Sunday).

Leave Ninth street Depot 1:30 P. M., daily except Sunday.

Leave Ninth street Depot 5:30 P. M., daily except Sunday.

Leave Ninth street Depot 8:30 P. M., daily except Sunday.

The Express Car will receive freight at Front and Princess streets from 5:30 A. M. to 6:00 A. M. only.

FREIGHT DEPOT: The freight Depot will be open for the receipt of freight from 8:30 A. M. to 7:30 P. M. Sundays 8:30 to 9:30 A. M. No freight will be received at other points in the city, except as above specified.

Freight which is received within twenty minutes of time car is due to leave will be held for next regular trip.

MARKING AND PREPAYING: Freight will not be received unless plainly marked with name of the consignee and fully prepaid.

LAUNDRY: When packed in trunks, handbags, or hampers, Laundry will be handled as baggage.

BAGGAGE: Baggage will be received and delivered at the Atlantic Coast Line and Seaboard Air Line depots; all pieces must be checked, and no piece will be delivered except on presentation of duplicate check.

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ATLANTIC COAST LINE.

LOW ROUND TRIP

Rates From Wilmington.

$18.00—Washington, D. C., and return. Tickets on sale daily, June 1st to September 30th, final limit October 31st, 1903.

$13.50 to Baltimore and return, Sovereign Grand Lodge Odd Fellows; tickets on sale September 18th, 19th and 20th. Must be deposited with Joint Agent and on payment of $1.25, limit will be extended, good leaving Baltimore October 3rd, 1903.

$11.55 Washington, D. C., and return, account Grand Fountain United Order of True Reformers, September 1st to 8th, 1903, inclusive. Tickets will be on sale August 30th, September 1st and 2nd. Final limit to reach starting point September 10th, 1903.

W. J. CRAIG,
Gen'l Passenger Agent.
H. M. EMERSON,
Traffic Manager.

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ATLANTIC COAST LINE.

Schedule In Effect May 24, 1903.

NORTHBOUND.

	No 48	No 42
Lv Wilmington	9 30 a m	7 00 p m
Ar Goldsboro	12 21 p m	9 38 p m
Ar Wilson	1 18 p m	10 35 p m
Ar Rocky Mount	1 55 p m	11 23 p m
Ar Norfolk	5 55 p m	.....
Ar Weldon	4 58 p m	1 35 a m
Ar Petersburg	6 53 p m	3 00 a m
Ar Richmond	7 45 p m	3 43 a m
Ar Washington	11 40 p m	7 30 a m
Ar Baltimore	1 38 a m	9 13 a m
Ar Philadelphia	4 05 a m	11 22 a m
Ar New York	7 15 a m	2 00 p m

SOUTHBOUND.

	No 41	No 49
Lv New York	9 35 a m	9 25 p m
Ar Philadelphia	11 55 a m	11 01 a m
Ar Baltimore	2 12 p m	2 37 a m
Ar Washington	3 21 p m	3 45 a m
Ar Norfolk	.....	9 00 a m
Ar Richmond	7 15 p m	8 30 a m
Ar Petersburg	8 05 p m	9 05 a m
Ar Weldon	9 43 p m	11 46 a m
Ar Rocky Mount	10 57 p m	1 00 p m
Ar Wilson	11 18 p m	1 59 p m
Ar Goldsboro	7 16 a m	3 10 p m
Ar Wilmington	10 10 a m	6 00 p m

BETWEEN WILMINGTON AND THE SOUTH.

SOUTHBOUND

	Daily Ex. Sunday.	Daily.	Daily.
Lv Wilmington	6 00 a m	3 45 p m	7 00 p m
Ar Florence	9 35 a m	7 30 p m	8 25 p m
Ar Charleston	1 10 p m	11 15	6 15 a m
Ar Savannah	6 30 p m	3 00 a m	8 30 a m
Ar Jacksonville	.....	9 00 a m	1 15 p m
Ar Tampa	.....	10 35 p m	10 35 p m

NORTHBOUND.

	Daily Ex. Sunday.	Daily
Lv Tampa	8 05 p m	7 30 a m
Ar Jacksonville	7 30 a m	5 30 p m
Ar Savannah	12 40 p m	1 15 a m
Ar Charleston	4 50 p m	6 25 a m
Ar Florence	7 35 p m	9 45 a m
Ar Wilmington	11 20 p m	1 40 p m

BETWEEN WILMINGTON AND SANFORD

	West Bound Daily		East Bound Daily
Lv Wilmington	9 10 a m	Ar	8 05 p m
Ar Fayetteville	12 20 p m	Ar	5 00 p m
Ar Sanford	1 58 p m	Lv	3 40 p m

BETWEEN WILMINGTON AND NEWBERN

	North Bound Daily ex Sunday		South Bound
Lv Wilmington	2 25 p m	Ar	12 15 p m
Ar Newbern	5 40 p m	Lv	9 00 a m

Trains Nos. 42 and 41 carry Pullman Sleeping Cars between Wilmington and Washington, connecting with Penna R. R. for all points east.

W. J. CRAIG,
Gen'l Passenger Agent.

H. M. Emerson, Traffic Manager.

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Atlantic and North Carolina Railroad

Time Table No. 16.

To Take Effect Sunday, Oct. 21, 1900, at 12.01 A. M.

GOING EAST. 3 Passg'r Trains Arrive	Leave	STATIONS.	GOING WEST. 4 Passg'r Trains Arrive	Leave
P. M.	P. M.		A. M.	A. M.
.....	3 40	Goldsboro	11 05	.....
.....	4 32	Kinston	10 13	.....
5 40	5 50	Newbern	8 37	2 00
7 02	7 07	Morehead City	7 25	7 27
P. M.	P. M.		A. M.	A. M.

Train 4 connects with W. & W train bound North, leaving Goldsboro at 11.25 A. M., and with Southern Railway train West, leaving Goldsboro 2.00 P. M., and with W. & N. at Newbern for Wilmington and intermediate points.

Train 3 connects with Southern Railway train arriving at Goldsboro 3.00 P. M., and with W. & W. train from the North at 3.05 P. M. No. 1 train also connects with W. & N. for Wilmington and intermediate points.

oct 23 tf S. L. DILL, Supt.

The Clyde Steamship Co

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From New York for Wilmington.

NAVAHOE.....Saturday, July 25
CARIB.....Saturday Aug.

From Wilmington for New York.

CARIB.....Saturday, July 25
NAVAHOE.....Saturday, Aug. 1

From Wilmington for Georgetown.

CARIB.....Tuesday, July 21
NAVAHOE.....Tuesday, July 28

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19 State Street, New York.

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The Morning Star.

WILMINGTON, N. C.

SATURDAY MORNING, AUGUST 1.

LAWRENCE MURPHY'S FATE.

Sentenced to State's Prison for Five Years and Six Months for Embezzling Funds of Stone Cutters' Union

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

NEW YORK, July 31.—Lawrence Murphy, former treasurer of the Journeymen Stone cutters Union, who was arrested last December charged with embezzling $13,000 from the organization and convicted last Monday of grand larceny, was to-day sentenced to five years and six months in the State's prison.

The prisoner's counsel asked for clemency for his client, but Judge Newburger scored the prisoner severely, saying that he had spent the funds of the union in riotous living, and that his total stealings amounted to $27,000.

When the judge had finished Murphy was crying bitterly and appeared to be about to collapse. "My God," he shouted, "this is wrong. Every one of the officers of the union got a share of the money. There was not one that did not have a finger in the graft." Judge Newburger paid no attention to the frantic man.

Murphy wants to go to Sing Sing at once. "I am tired of the Tombs," said the prisoner. "The excitement of the trial has made me sick and dispirited. I want to get away from here. In prison, may be, I will hear no more of the things that are said against me. That will do me good. I need rest."

Murphy was taken from the Tombs prison this afternoon and in charge of two deputy sheriffs started for Sing Sing prison to serve his term.

THE WORLD'S COTTON.

Total Visible Supply as Shown by Secretary Hester's Statement.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

NEW ORLEANS, July 31.—Secretary Hester's statement of the world's visible supply of cotton, for the week ending July 31st, issued to-day, shows the total visible to be 1,787,823 bales, against 1,785,579 last week and 1,765,655 last year. Of this the total of American cotton is 828,828 bales, against 900,579 last week and 1,091,255 last year, and of all other kinds, including Egypt, Brazil, India, etc., 859,000 bales, against 885,000 last week and 674,000 last year.

Of the world's visible supply of cotton there is now afloat and held in Great Britain and Continental Europe 916,000 bales, against 1,030,000 last year; in Egypt, 11,000 bales, against 58,000 last year; in India, 519,000 bales, against 396,000 last year, and in the United States, 265,000 bales, against 281,000 last year.

ALABAMA NEGROES

Condemn Attack Upon Booker Washington During His Address at Boston.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

TUSKEGEE, ALA., July 31.—A resolution was adopted here to-day by the Alabama colored Baptist convention, in session in this city, condemning the attack made upon Principal Booker T. Washington, of the Tuskegee Normal and Industrial Institute, during his address at Boston last night. The resolution, which was unanimously adopted by the three hundred delegates of the convention, upholds Principal Washington and pledges confidence and endorses Mr. Washington as a "conservative, worthy and safe leader, deserving of the respect and confidence of all men."

COMPARATIVE COTTON STATEMENT.

For the Week Ending Friday, July 31st, 1903.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star

NEW YORK, July 31.—The following is the comparative cotton statement for the week ending July 31st, 1903:

	1903.	1902.
Net receipts at all U. S. ports during the week ...	1,376	18,871
Total receipts to this date	7,691,983	7,540,322
Exports for week..	2,060	18,424
Total exports to date	6,500,614	6,478,866
Stock in all U. S. ports.	209,780	208,776
Stock at all interior towns.....	10,868	61,725
Stock in Liverpool,	390,000	57,000
American afloat for Great Britain ...	15,000	14,000

TOTAL NET RECEIPTS OF COTTON.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star

NEW YORK, July 31.—The following are the total net receipts of cotton at all ports since September 1st, 1902: Galveston, 2,091,704 bales; New Orleans, 2,299,366; Mobile, 214,962; Savannah, 1,297,500; Charleston, 209,698; Wilmington, 325,023; Norfolk, 509,615; Baltimore, 48,357; New York, 57,450; Boston, 98,559; Newport News, 14,953; Philadelphia, 26,951; Brunswick, 118,217; Fernandina, 3,134; Pensacola, 136,104; Port Arthur, 86,663; Port Townsend, 89,584; San Francisco, 35,447; Portland, Ore., 1,541; El Paso, 1,687; Eagle Pass, 12,479; Laredo, 13,709. Total, 7,691,983 bales.

CONVICTS LOCATED.

Sheriff's Posse and Militia Are Going to Close in Upon Them.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

SACRAMENTO, CAL., July 31.—A special to the *Bee* from the Folsom State prison says the fugitive convicts are now reported to have been located in two squads, about six or seven miles from Lotus, and Sheriff Keena and his posse and the militia are going to close in on them.

The Death Penalty.

A little thing sometimes results in death. Thus a mere scratch, insignificant cuts or puny boils have paid the death penalty. It is wise to have Bucklen's Arnica Salve ever handy. It's the best salve on earth, and will prevent fatality, when Burns, Sores, Ulcers and Piles threaten. Only 25c at R. R. BELLAMY'S drug store. †

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For Infants and Children.

The Kind You Have Always Bought

Bears the Signature of Chas. H. Fletcher.

A SENSATION IN POSTAL AFFAIRS.

Startling Disclosures Before the Federal Grand Jury Involving Nine People.

SEVEN INDICTMENTS FOUND.

Prominent Officials Charged With Conspiracy and Bribery—Warrants Issued—Other Indictments Expected—A. W. Machen

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

WASHINGTON, July 31.—The post-office investigation developed another sensation to day, the Federal grand jury returning seven indictments, involving nine people, for alleged conspiracy and bribery in connection with postal affairs. August W. Machen, for many years the head of the free delivery service, was named jointly with others in four of the indictments. The other parties were William Gordon Crawford, who was deputy auditor for the Postoffice Department from June 12th, 1893, to September 15th, 1897, and is a member of one of the exclusive clubs of this city; Leopold J. Stern, of No. 5 North Gay street, Baltimore; George E. Lorenz, of Toledo, formerly a prominent government official, and Martha J. Lorenz, his wife; John T. Cupper, mayor of Lock Haven, Pa.; William C. Long, an Ohio man, who has spent much time in this city in recent years and an intimate friend of Machen; Maurice Runkel, of New York city, and Thos. W. McGregor, a protege of Machen, who was a messenger at the beginning of Machen's administration of the free delivery service and in recent years has been in charge of the supplies for the rural free delivery service. Crawford voluntarily appeared in court soon after the indictments were returned and furnished $10,000 bail, and McGregor likewise gave $5,000 bail. Long was arrested at his home, where Deputy Marshal Springman found him in bed. He was released on a $10,000 bond. His was the only local case in which a bench warrant was issued, owing to the voluntary action of the others indicted. Machen was not re arrested under the new indictment, as he gave bond in $20,000 under his indictment several weeks ago, and the authorities felt this was sufficient to ensure his appearance.

Warrants have been issued for the out-of-town parties indicted and their arrest is expected within the next twenty-four hours.

The grand jury has not completed the work laid before it by the postal investigators and other indictments may be expected later on, possibly within a week or two. It is understood that two more cases against one of the parties indicted to-day, a former prominent bureau official, are being inquired into by the grand jury, and that the acts of another former high official of the Postoffice Department, already under indictment by the Brooklyn grand jury, are being investigated.

Four of the indictments name Machen jointly with others. Machen, Cupper and Long are named jointly in one indictment for violation of the conspiracy section of the Revised Statutes. The indictment sets out that between July 1, 1897, and July 1, 1901, Cupper induced Machen to give him (Cupper) the contract for furnishing materials for and employment in the painting of letter boxes, Cupper paying Machen a commission of ten cents a box; Long acting as an intermediary. Another indictment against Stern, Long and Machen based on alleged violation of the same statute, charges that Stern entered into a contract with the government to furnish letter carriers satchels and letter collectors satchels for the free delivery service, the satchels to be supplied in each case with a leather shoulder-strap. The cost of each of these straps to Stern in complying with his contract would amount to twenty-five cents. The indictment charges that Machen, in his official capacity, was to procure shoulder-straps at the expense of the United States and deliver the same to Stern to be used by the latter in the performance of his contract, in order that Stern might save twenty-five cents on each satchel delivered to the United States. It is further charged that a portion of the saving to Stern should be retained by him and the residue paid to Long to be divided between Long and Machen.

A third indictment jointly names William Gordon Crawford, August Machen, George E. Lorenz and his wife Martha J. Lorenz, both of Toledo, O., for conspiracy. Crawford represented the Postal Device and Lock Company, which received the contract for furnishing certain of the letter carriers' satchels. The contract called for shoulder-straps for the satchels which the indictment charges were never furnished by the contractors, being supplied instead by the United States under Machen's orders, although the contractor received pay for them. For this concession, it is charged that Crawford paid to Machen, through the Lorenzs, about thirty per cent. of the amount received from the government. Maurice Runkel, of New York city, Thomas W. McGregor, formerly in charge of the supplies for the rural free delivery service and recently indicted in Baltimore under another charge, and August W. Machen, are named jointly in another indictment for a similar transaction.

The indictments alleges that Runkel paid sums to Machen and McGregor. John T. Cupper, the mayor of Lockhaven, Pa., is charged in a separate indictment with paying Machen a bribe of $800 in August, 1900. Long, also is indicted separately for paying a bribe, both these bribery cases being in the same transactions involved in the conspiracy indictments. Crawford was separately indicted for presenting a false claim for satchels by charging the government and receiving pay therefor for shoulder straps should be supplied him.

NEGROES IN BOSTON.

Disturbers at the Meeting Where Booker T. Washington Spoke in Court.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

BOSTON, MASS., July 31.—Never before has the Boston court seen such an assembling of negroes as to-day when the corridors were filled with those trying to get into court to listen to the evidence concerning the tumultuous negro meeting in the Columbus avenue A. M. E. Zion church last night, when Booker T. Washington spoke. Judge Burk was on the bench when the cases of Granville Martin, William Trotter and Bernard Charles, charged with disturbing a public meeting were called. Charles appeared with the others in the dock, his clothes torn and cut, and he had been badly slashed with a razor. No evidence was presented, however, the cases being continued until August 6th upon the statement of the lawyers that they had not had time to prepare.

Dancing at Seashore Hotel to-night. ‡

THE TRADE OUTLOOK CONTINUES ENCOURAGING.

The Industrial Situation Has Improved and Railroads Are Having All They Can Handle, Says Bradstreet.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

NEW YORK, July 31.—*Bradstreet's* to-morrow will say:

Weather, crop and trade conditions are seasonably favorable, though irregularity and weakness in some staple prices reflect readjustments of consumption to enlarged production. Copious rains in the corn belt and in the western portion of the cotton region have removed some of the uneasiness existing as to the out-turn of these two great crops, and despite this backwardness the outlook for general trade has been measurably helped. The industrial situation has improved, the railroads are having all they can handle with talk of congestion again being heard, and the country's return of cereal and food products promise better than a year ago, so far as quality is concerned.

A favorable feature this week is the reported improvement in foreign demand for our breadstuffs, considerable quantities of new wheat and old corn being reported taken. Accompanying this has been an improvement in the outside interest in the cereal markets. World stocks show little or no change for the week.

The industrial situation is, on the whole, satisfactory.

The situation in the cotton goods trade is apparently no clearer. Re imports of American cotton from Europe are reported heavy, and large numbers of spindles are idle. The same is true in the English industry, where short time rules. Despite the almost certainty that the crop has made favorable progress during the last week, prices of new crop cotton are higher now than two weeks ago. A fair Summer business is doing in dry goods.

Business failures for the United States this week number 190 against 183 last week and 168 in the like week of 1902. For Canada, they number 17 as against 20 last week, and 16 a year ago.

TEMPORARY INJUNCTION

Against the Western Union and Gold and Stock Telegraph Companies.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

NEW ORLEANS, July 31.—As a result of the alleged crusade started by the New York Cotton Exchange against bucket shops, A. B. Baxter & Co., incorporated in New York and having offices here, to-day sued out an injunction against the Western Union Telegraph Company, and the Gold and Stock Telegraph Company to prevent the telegraph companies from removing instruments from the firm's offices and requiring the companies to continue to furnish the plaintiffs all the quotations of the New York Cotton Exchange. Baxter & Co. set forth that they pay $30,000 a year for the wire service and for the quotations. Judge King signed a temporary order.

CINCINNATI, July 31.—The Odell Commission Company to-day, in the Common Pleas Court was granted a temporary injunction against the Western Union Telegraph Company and the Gold and Stock Telegraph Company, restraining defendants from cutting wires running to the Odell Company's offices. The Odell Company alleges that the Western Union and the New York Cotton Exchange are in an agreement to regulate who shall receive market reports over their wires and that the Cotton Exchange arbitrarily wishes to shut off the plaintiff from such service, although the Western Union is willing to continue the service.

ST. LOUIS, July 31.—Judge McDonald to-day issued an order against the Western Union Telegraph Company and the Gold and Stock Telegraph Company, citing representatives to appear in chambers Wednesday, August 5th, to show cause why a temporary injunction should not be issued against them to restrain them from cutting off the telegraph service with the New York Cotton Exchange from St. Louis commission houses.

MANUFACTURERS EXERCISED

At the Possibility of Great Britain Taxing Cotton Imports

By Cable to the Morning Star.

MANCHESTER, ENG., July 31.—The possibility of the taxation of raw cotton imported into Great Britain from foreign countries, while cotton grown within the empire may be exempted, has greatly exercised the manufacturers of the Lancashire district. In reply to a direct question as to whether the rumor was true that the preferential proposals contemplated such action, Colonial Secretary Chamberlain has telegraphed as follows:

"The statement is absolutely untrue as regards myself. In fact, I have publicly repudiated the suggestion to tax raw materials."

BASEBALL.

Record of Games Played Yesterday by the League Teams

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

Washington, 4; Boston, 4. (11 innings; darkness.)
New York, 3; Philadelphia, 1.
Detroit, 3; St. Louis, 10.
Chicago, 3; Cleveland, 5.

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

Boston, 4; New York, 1.
St. Louis, 5; Pittsburg, 6.
Philadelphia, 2; Brooklyn, 1.
Cincinnati, 10; Chicago, 4.

SOUTHERN LEAGUE.

Little Rock, 1; Atlanta, 0.
Montgomery, 8; New Orleans, 2
Shreveport, 7; Nashville, 5.
Hemphis, 5; Birmingham, 1.

THE PLANT ESTATE.

Hoadley Brothers Want to be Recognized as Contingent Heirs.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

NEW HAVEN, CONN., July 31.—An application was filed in the Probate Court here to-day for the removal of Morton F. Plant, Margaret J. Plant and George H. Tilley as executors of the will of the late Henry Bradley Plant. Charles G. and Horace G. Hoadley, of Waterbury, sons of George Hoadley, who was a half-brother of Henry B. Plant, are the applicants. The Hoadleys want to be recognized as contingent heirs of the estate, which is estimated to be worth between $17,000,000 and $20,000,000.

Seth E. Tracy, a native of Texas, but at present living in Washington, D. C., was arrested last night for the authorities at Houston, Texas, where he is wanted on an indictment charging an alleged shortage of $30,000 in the funds of the school board, of which he was secretary.

Dancing at Seashore Hotel to-night. ‡

THE CARDINALS IN THEIR CONCLAVE.

Assembled for the Purpose of Electing a Successor to Pope Leo XIII.

MAY MAKE CHOICE TO-DAY.

The Largest Conclave in the History of the Church—No Prognostication as to Who Will be Chosen—Some of the Cardinals Are Ill.

By Cable to the Morning Star.

ROME, July 31, 9 P. M.—The largest conclave in the history of the Catholic Church has now assembled in the Sistine Chapel for the purpose of electing a successor to Leo XIII. Sixty-two cardinals with over two hundred clerical and lay attendants, are, to all intents and purposes, prisoners within the Vatican. One of them, Cardinal Herraro y Espinosa, archbishop of Valencia, was prostrated immediately after entering the conclave, and lies ill in his cell. To-morrow morning the cardinals will enter upon the solemn duty of choosing the new Pope by ballot.

The general impression exists that within two or three days, possibly, though not probably, to-morrow, a new Pope will have been chosen.

Prognostications as to who will wear the tiara as Leo's successor have little value, as even the cardinals who this evening entered their cells seemed to be without definite ideas as to the issue. Cardinals Rampolla, Serafino Vannutelli, Dipietri, Gotti and Oreglia continue to be most frequently mentioned as the likeliest candidates, but the moment the name of one of them is mentioned a hundred reasons are supplied to show that he could not possibly be elected.

The rival claims of the leading Italian cardinals, so freely ventilated in the local press, are matters which are all important in connection with the decision of the conclave, because it is assumed, as a foregone conclusion, that the next occupant of the Holy See will be an Italian. The foreign cardinals have shown no indication of opposition to this assumption, but, however willing they may be to honor an Italian, it is believed the serious differences among the Italians themselves on matters of political and religious opinion must be reconciled before one of them, suitable to all sections, can be elected.

More interesting, perhaps, in a certain way, is the impression which prevails in certain sections that no matter what the verdict of the conclave may be, great changes are impending in the policy of the Vatican, and that within a year or two the new Pope will no longer consider himself a prisoner in the Vatican, but will leave its precincts whenever necessary.

By 5 o'clock this afternoon all the cardinals had arrived at the Vatican and had gone to their cells. The conclave has been duly formed, and its members are now shut in from the outer world. Everything is prepared for to-morrow's voting. At the Vatican doors the Swiss guards kept back the curious crowd among whom were a number of priests. Photographers vigorously snapped the occupants of the black carriages prior to their entrance to what one cardinal called "prison."

Previous to 1890 the ceremony of the cardinals entering in conclave was much more imposing than that of to-day, as it was held in the Quirinal palace. They met in the little church of San Silvestro Al Quirinale, and from there walked in procession through the streets to the palace, or if the conclave was to be held in the Vatican, the cardinals met in St. Peter's, a procession was formed there, and after some ceremonies wended its way to the Apostolic palace.

In pleasing confusion, the cardinals, each escorted by the Noble Guard assigned to him, went to their respective "cells" or apartments. Some of the venerable prelates, such as Cardinals Mocenni (who was born in 1823), Cretoni (born in 1833) and Langenie (born in 1824) were so exhausted that they had to be supported by the Noble Guard in attendance on them.

Just before going into his cell to-day a prominent cardinal threw an interesting side light upon the chances of Rampolla. Leo's secretary of state has been persistently abused recently by the government papers for his temporal power policy. "I am sure," said the cardinal to the representative of the Associated Press, "that the public attacks upon Cardinal Rampolla by the government are not inspired with a view to working up among Catholics and cardinals a spirit of enthusiasm for him which might greatly increase his chances of election. Indeed, I am pretty certain that the Italian government would not be at all sorry to see Cardinal Rampolla wear the tiara, as I do not believe the government has any serious disposition to alter the existing relations between the Vatican and the Quirinal."

There is no doubt that Cardinal Rampolla, who is so well known to all cardinals because of the position he held under the late Pope, has a strong following.

Before entering the conclave, Cardinal Gibbons requested the Associated Press to deny all interviews alleged to have been given out by him while in Rome and also all published accounts of conversations he is alleged to have had with private individuals, referring especially to the statements of the *Italia* yesterday to the effect that he had criticised the policy of Rampolla.

Midnight—News from the precincts of the conclave is to the effect that after prayers the cardinals took supper at a common table, with the exception of nine of them, who had their meals served in their cells.

The *Italie* to-night declares that the note to the powers drafted by the congregation of cardinals contains a stronger protest against the condition of the papacy than did the note of 1878 and dashes to the ground the hopes of those who have been looking for a reconciliation between the Vatican and the Quirinal.

The Sacred College to-day approved the payment of $10,000 to the doctors and others who attended the late Pontiff during his last illness.

SHIPWRECKED CREW.

Rescued in Mid-Ocean by French Steamer and Landed at Philadelphia.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

PHILADELPHIA, PA., July 31.—After clinging to their capsized vessel for three days in mid-ocean, the crew of the Italian barque Vermoni, bound from Genoa for St. Johns, N. F., in ballast, was rescued by the French tank steamer Lelion, from Seville, via Gibraltar, for Marcus Hook, Pa., and brought here to-day. The shipwrecked crew consisted of Captain Marina and twelve men, one of them a negro. The sailors were in an exhausted condition from exposure when picked up.

Dancing at Seashore Hotel to-night. ‡

SERIOUS ACCIDENT AT PORTLAND, ORE.

Bridge Collapsed, Throwing More Than a Hundred People Into River—Three Drowned—Many Injured

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

PORTLAND, ORE., July 31.—A section of the bridge which spans the Williamette river at Morrison street collapsed this afternoon, precipitating more than one hundred people forty feet into the water. Three people are known to have been drowned and it is feared that the list of the dead will be much larger when all are accounted for. Many fell on two house boats moored at the pier at the bridge immediately under the spot it gave way.

Thousands of people had gathered on the Morrison and Madison street bridges and along the docks to watch Clarence Lutz, an armless man, swim the river, which is about three-eighths of a mile wide. As Lutz was climbing out of the water the crowd rushed to the south edge of the bridge in order to get a good view. A section of the passenger-walk gave way under the heavy weight and the crowding struggling mass of people were carried down a distance of forty feet.

Hundreds of people at the club house of the Portland Rowing Club, men in boats and on shore immediately started the work of rescue. Dozens of boats at the scene soon picked up those struggling in the water while the injured, who were clinging to the house boats were taken into the club house and medical aid summoned.

News of the accident quickly spread and within a few minutes thousands of people gathered at either end of the bridge anxiously seeking information about relatives or friends.

The bridge is an old wooden structure having been built sixteen years ago and has been considered unsafe for some time although it was not condemned.

GAS EXPLOSION AT NEW CASTLE.

Caused Great Excitement—Five Prominent Men Injured.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

NEW CASTLE, PA., July 31.—As a result of leakage in the artificial and natural gas mains in the down town districts an explosion in a manhole of the municipal conduit system, which is being constructed, caused serious injury to five prominent men. The accident occurred in the heart of the city and caused great excitement. The gas was ignited when John Morrison, superintendent of construction, struck a match to light a cigarette. The injured are: John Morrison, seriously burned on face, head, hands and neck; Bobert Burns, assistant engineer, suffering from severe burns on face and head, also burned inwardly; Colonel Dan Reagan, contractor of Philadelphia, badly burned about face and neck; J. A. Price, city inspector, facial burns; John W. Dinsmore, of city engineering department, hands and arms burned.

Morrison and Burns were taking measurements in the manhole at the time the explosion occurred. The other three men were leaning over the hole when Morrison struck a match to light his cigarette.

NEW TRIAL REFUSED

In Case of Alderman King, of Richmond, Va., Convicted of Bribe Taking.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

RICHMOND, VA., July 31.—The petition for a new trial, made to the supreme court of appeals in behalf of John M. King, former alderman from Jefferson ward, convicted of bribe-taking in office, has been passed upon by the five justices of that court and has been refused. King's sentence of $100 fine and twelve months in jail stands, and will, it is understood, be put into effect to-morrow morning.

WARM WIRELETS.

Alex. Means and Will Starks, two negroes, were hanged yesterday at Montgomery, Ala., for the murder of Fleming Foster, a negro, near La-Grande, Ala.

A special to the Dallas *News* says a negro at Alto, Tex., who insulted some ladies by cursing them and firing into their house, was lynched in the river bottom by a mob.

Major William P. Vick, of Margerettsville, N. C., died at the Protestant hospital, Norfolk, Va., of paralysis. The deceased was an officer in the Confederate army and was 67 years old.

Lack of work in Roumania is causing renewed exodus on a large scale of Jewish workmen to America. The emigrants are assisted by the B'Nai B'Rith and other foreign Jewish societies.

Secretary Root has decided to approve an allotment of $350,000 to be expended under direction of General Crozier, chief of ordnance, in equipping the militia with the new field guns and material for their service.

Sidney King, a negro, was hanged in the county jail yard at Birmingham, Ala., yesterday morning. He killed Jere Barron, a negro convict, while the two were confined in Coalburg prison, in July, 1902.

Sheriff Whitlock, of Danville, Ill., wired General Scott that in his opinion troops might be withdrawn from Danville yesterday, but after a consultation with Governor Yates it was decided to retain troops there for the present.

Orders were received yesterday from the Boston office of the company, to shut down the Cabot cotton mills at Brunswick, Me., for two weeks. The order affects operatives. The closing is said to be due to the high price of cotton.

Robt. Lee, the negro who shot Policeman Massey, at Evansville, Ind., July 3rd, and started the riot that resulted in the death and injury of many citizens, died in prison yesterday from the effects of a wound in the lungs caused by a bullet fired by Massey.

Major John Wyatt Jones, of St. Louis, one of the last Confederate staff officers, is dead. Major Jones was 83 years of age and served with distinction during the Civil war on the staffs of General Tilghman and General Pemberton.

The extreme high price of raw cotton has compelled the Bates and Androscoggin Manufacturing Company, employing 3,000 hands, to order a curtailment of the output. After to-morrow the mills will be in operation only four days each week until further notice.

Owing to a superstition regarding Friday, the resumption of work on the part of the miners in Alabama was not general yesterday, though a considerable number resumed their labors. As to-day is Saturday it is not believed that all hands will report before Monday.

Defending himself and his mother from death at the hands of an infuriated boarder, Charles Henry Baker shot and killed Calvin Strode, at Manche, La. Strode attempted to fire, but his rifle became entangled in a cast-net and Baker fired before Strode could release his weapon.

TRIAL OF JETT AND WHITE.

Marcum's Father-in-Law and His Two Sisters Testify for Commonwealth. Excitement Among Witnesses.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

CYNTHIANA, KY., July 31.—Commonwealth Attorney Bird surprised all again to-day by the introduction of new witnesses in the case against Curtis Jett and Thomas White. A half dozen have testified to seeing the prisoner enter the side door of the Jackson court house just before Marcum was shot and emerge after the shooting. The new witnesses corroborate Captain Ewen as to the movements of Jett and White when Marcum was killed in the Jackson court house. F. A. Bradley, foreman in the Breathitt *News* office, located over the Jackson postoffice, opposite the side door of the court house, testified that he saw Jett come to the side door of the court house immediately after the shooting.

Witnesses Londrum, Bach, Johnson and Fulkerson all gave evidence corroborating Ewen.

In the afternoon Alexander H. Smith, another new witness, testified to seeing Jett, White, Ewen, Marcum and others at the time of the shooting, corroborating the testimony of Ewen and others.

Marcum's father-in-law and his two sisters testified during the afternoon. Mr. Hurst, the father-in-law, testified that Jett came to him the afternoon of the murder and wanted to talk with him. White was with Jett at all times on the three occasions that they met after the death of Marcum. Hurst testified that members of the family knew of a conspiracy to murder Marcum for over a year before his death. Mrs. Hord, a sister of J. B. Marcum, testified that when her brother came into her house on the Sunday afternoon previous to his murder, both Jett and White followed him into the house and walked about in the different rooms of her home. She finally insisted that they leave and they did so.

Mrs. Mary Johnson, another sister of Marcum, testified that armed men were frequently seen about the house where her brother lived. She had lived at her brother's for a year previous to his murder and the family were frequently warned that Marcum was to be murdered. She testified that she saw both Jett and White after her brother was killed and that she asked Jett directly about it and accused him of it and that he replied: "Hargis' money killed him, but I fired the shot."

Mrs. Johnson testified that she also asked Tom White about the shooting and accused him of helping to kill her brother, to which he replied: "Go and ask Ewen who killed him. He saw who did and will tell you; he knows who did it."

There is considerable excitement here to-night among the witnesses and others from Breathitt county.

SAME AS REGULARS.

Pay of Officers and Soldiers of Militia While at Encampments.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

WASHINGTON, July 31.—The secretary of war to-day decided that officers and soldiers of the militia while serving at encampments are entitled to the same pay as the officers and men of the regular army and that they are also entitled to transportation to and from such encampments as if they were regular troops.

Burnett's Vanilla Extract is the fixed standard of excellence. It has outlived criticism. It is the finest and purest vanilla extract that can be bought.

Dancing at Seashore Hotel to-night. ‡

BUSINESS LOCALS.

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There will be a series of games played at Hilton Diamond Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday, August 4th, 5th and 6th between the Goldsboro Champions and the Black Stockings Baseball Club. Games called at 4 o'clock. au 1 4t*

Dr. Hallnek has returned to the city and may be seen at his office in the Masonic Temple at his usual office hours. au 1 3t*

15 Cents admission to Wrightsville Beach Vaudeville if ticket is purchased in Wilmington. Casino tickets on sale at ticket office, Front and Princess streets, from 1:00 to 8:30 P. M. au 1 1t

Reduced fare to Wrightsville Beach 25 cents round trip after 7 o'clock. jy 30 3t.

For Sale—Grocery business in good locality, and good trade established. Address "Grocery," STAR office. jy 29 1w*

Six Room Cottage on "Summer Rest," Wrightsville, N. C., for rent. Store No. 108 North Water street for rent. "Wright Cottages" at Wrightsville, N. C., for rent, from August 1st. Three (3) Cottages on Wrightsville Beach for sale. Dick & Reilly, Real Estate and Insurance Agents, No. 110 Princess street. jy 17 tf

Dr. J. D. Webster, dentist, is now located at 203 South Front street, Wilmington, N. C., his old stand opposite steam laundry. Better prepared to do dental work and cheaper than ever. Sets of teeth, upper or under, from $5.00 up. Gold filling from $1.50 up; all other fillings 50 cents. Crowns from $2 00 up; bridge teeth $5.00. Extracting with the new system without pain, 25 cents, for 30 days. jy 15 1m.

Notice—There will be an annual meeting of the stockholders of the Eastern Carolina Pisctorial Association held at the office of the undersigned, Wilmington, N. C., Tuesday, August 4th, at 11 o'clock A. M. Geo. H. Howell, Secretary. jy 7 25t

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Just received, car of fine Georgia Melons, which will be on sale Monday morning at foot of Dock street. A. S. Winstead. je 21 tf

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TWO CURES.

FLORENCE, S. C., Aug. 18, 1902.
Gentlemen:—I began to suffer from rheumatism about three years ago, and had it very bad in my limbs. At times I could hardly walk. Was treated by a physician without benefit. More than a year ago, Mr. George Wilson, an engineer on the Coast Line, living in Florence, told me that "RHEUMACIDE" cured him. I got a bottle and it benefitted me. I took five bottles and am now as well as I ever was in my life. I regard "RHEUMACIDE" as a great medicine. I know of others it has cured.
Truly,
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DARLINGTON, S. C., Aug. 19th, 1902.
Gentlemen:—About two years ago I had a very severe attack of inflammatory rheumatism. I suffered great pain and was confined to my bed for five weeks. During the time I was treated by two Physicians without permanent relief. Capt. Harker, a conductor on the Atlantic Coast Line heard of my condition and sent me two bottles of "RHEUMACIDE." I began to take it and in a week I got up and walked on crutches. After taking three bottles of the remedy I got entirely well and went back to my business.
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The best grade Taffetta Silk 48c.
Yard wide black Taffetta 75c per yard.

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Toilet Pins at 1c a paper.
72 sheets good writing paper 10c.
Lead Pencils with rubber 1c each.

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Nice Pants from $1 to $1.25 and up to $5 a pair.
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Boys' and Men's Hats, Caps, and a big line of Straw goods to close out at reduced prices.

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